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The Daily Commercial

Did any one aggravated by the rustle of paper, as attendants in Ristori's performances industriously turned over the leaves of the translations they had given fifty cents for, ever calculate the profits realized by J. Gran upon those interesting publications? They cost him five or six cents each, and he allows two or three cents more to the young gentlemen by whom they are vended. He has sold between fifty and sixty thousand of them, and is said to have realized from this source alone nearly twenty thousand dollars.

There is one little matter connected with the eager willingness of Napoleon to tide over a resort to the last appeal of arms for the current year, to which sufficient consideration has not been given. He has set his heart on the success of his great International Exposition, and he knows that interest in a comparative display of the arts of Peace cannot be excited or maintained while War is going on or even threatening. He will make almost any sacrifice to postpone actual hostilities for a year, but twelve months of restraint will only make the dogs of war the fiercer when they are eventually loosed from the leash.

An American citizen of African descent is said, by a Georgia paper, to object strongly to the new order of things, which render him liable to the payment of United States taxes, and to sigh for those good old times when "Mas'r" attended to such financial details and left him free from any such responsibility. This colored complainant's name is William Birdsong. The burden of his lay would appear to be, that, if his former owner could only release him from Internal Revenue oppression, he might Whip-poor Will to any extent that old time custom might permit.

The Chicago *Journal* boasts of possession of a gentleman connected with its business department who has not eaten meat for fifteen years. He is said to enjoy excellent health and to have a complexion that any lady might envy for its clearness. The vegetarian diet thus self-imposed may do very well in the book-keeping department of a newspaper establishment, but we doubt very much whether a cabbage diet would produce powerful editorials, or cucumbers and carrots suggest the pungent paragraphs that people like to read, and so frequently find in the columns of the *Journal*.

The starvation point that has been reached in South Carolina is evidently only relative. That point of famine which no longer admits of fastidiousness in the choice of food has not yet been arrived at. They are hungry, but some delicacy of appetite yet remains. Thus, for instance, General Sickles writing to the Chairman of the Southern Relief Committee in Boston, says: "If you send corn meal let me suggest that you send white meal; for white persons will not eat yellow meal. It is only given here to cattle, and even the colored people refuse it." When we call to mind what Union soldiers, who crowded rebel prison pens at Salisbury and Andersonville, had to feed upon in their extremity, it certainly requires some stretch of charitable feeling to arouse anything like sympathy for people who are so very particular about the quality of the alms they beg for.

Among the passengers by the Scotia for Liverpool, is William Prescott Smith, Collector of Internal Revenue in Baltimore, who goes to England for the purpose of officially examining into the internal revenue system of that country.

Southern Mineral Resources.—The Philadelphia Mint has recently received for coinage some very fine specimens of gold from Antauga county, Alabama, which are said to rival in quality the finest brought from California. The discovery of this ore has occasioned considerable excitement, and attracted numerous exploring parties to the locality.

Spirit Rappings.—The Rochester *Express* announces that one of the original "Fox girls," who in 1848-'49-'50 visited that city, and by or through whom the strange manifestations called "spirit rappings" and "Rochester knockings" were made, has returned and intends to afford those who desire to hear the remarkable sounds which formerly created a profound excitement throughout the country, an opportunity of doing so.

The *Independent* of this week, says: A new operator and capitalist from the West has recently made his appearance in Wall street. He is said to be strong, bold and sagacious, and his name is connected with the recent advance in Erie. Whether he will be able to out-general some of the old stagers of the Stock Exchange, remains to be seen. At present his movements are the all-absorbing topic among stock speculators. Some predict a "corner" in Erie, while others think he has come to Waterloo. We rather think, from what we hear, that he will be able to take care of himself. Bulls and bears, therefore, while keeping at a respectful distance, may bellow and growl *ad libitum*.

The Boston *Advertiser* says it is understood that Mr. Sumner has in preparation for early publication a pamphlet on the purchase of Russian America. He was a leading advocate of the purchase in the Senate, and the expected publication is said to contain the speech which he made in executive session in favor of ratifying the treaty. This pamphlet will be looked for with great interest as an authentic statement of the reasons which led to the purchase, and will no doubt give such a thorough treatment of the subject as will remove many misapprehensions now prevailing as to the origin of the measure and the value of the territory to the United States.

Verdict Against a Railroad Company.—In the Lancaster County Court, on Tuesday, the case of Daniel Kline against the Reading and Columbia Railroad Company came up. This was an action to recover damages from the defendant for constructing a railroad over the plaintiff's farm. The road cut the farm into two pieces of triangular shapes, one of which contained about twenty acres, with all the buildings, and the other about sixty-three acres, without any buildings. The road was commenced in the spring of 1862, and finished in the fall of 1863. The Court charged that the true measure of damages was the difference between the market values of the land, immediately before and immediately after the construction of the road. The jury found for the plaintiff $3,275 damages.

Affairs in Liberia.—A letter from Monrovia, February 9, gives a favorable account of affairs in Liberia. Agriculture is on the increase, and the inhabitants generally were turning their attention to farming as a means of securing a competence for the future. The people are raising all the necessary articles for home consumption, and such as will sell most readily abroad—for example, sugar, syrup, molasses, coffee, ginger, arrowroot, pepper, &c. Beside, they gather from the surface of the earth, palm oil, palm nuts, camwood, and many other valuable products, too numerous to mention. Some are turning their attention to cotton, but, so far, with only little success. Yet, cotton is indigenous to the soil, and the cotton tree may be seen growing almost everywhere. The people are generally prosperous, and the export trade is increasing.

American Bonds in Europe.

The New York *Commercial*, (money article,) of Tuesday evening, says: The foreign movement of bonds is quite uncertain. Upon the assumption of peace being maintained, the probability is that a certain amount of bonds will be required in Europe. This presumption is warranted by the firmness of five-twenties previous to the disturbance of European politics, and by their rapid advance upon the prospects of an amicable adjustment of affairs. And again, with the prevailing low rates of money at London and on the Continent, it is not supposable that foreign balances held here will be closely drawn down. Under all these circumstances, it is open to grave question whether the prospect of exchanges warrants the expectation of an exportation of specie sufficiently large to neutralize the effect of the disbursement of nearly twenty-five millions of gold on the May coupons.

The Situation in Turkey.

A correspondent of the Pall Mall *Gazette* writes from Constantinople: "Arms and ammunition, to a large extent, have been brought in recently, and although the importation has not been allowed, smuggling has been actively carried on. I have it on the authority of the leading house in the trade that many thousands of revolvers have been sold during the past few weeks. These arms are not re-exported, but remain here, for what purpose is yet to be seen. An uneasy feeling exists among the Mussulmans, but whether they mean mischief, no one can yet positively say. The ferment among a section of the Franks is easily understood by the fact of Russian agency being actively at work. We are as fast as possible drifting toward great and dangerous complications, and the Eastern question will in coming events assume vastly wider proportions than we have yet known. As an evidence that there is reason to apprehend some movement amongst the fanatical section of the Mussulmans, I may mention that no less than a hundred of that party were recently arrested, and without any form of trial, summarily sent away to a remote province in a Government steamer."

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The Pardon Business as Relates to Alabamians.

Jeff. Davis to Appear in Richmond on Monday.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 2, 1867.

Change of Judicial Circuits.

A statement which lacks full confirmation, that Chief Justice Chase intends to exchange Judicial Circuits with Associated Justice Field, prevails to-day. If it is consummated, the Chief Justice will hold the United States Circuit Court for Oregon and California, while Judge Field will have the old Circuit of Virginia and Maryland. The friends of Jeff. Davis profess to believe this, and say that in June when the Circuit Court meets at Richmond, Judge Field will try Davis, and that his case, as a consequence, will not be called up in the United States District Court on Monday next.

The Southern Campaign.

Congressman Kelley, of Pennsylvania, instead of following Senator Wilson in his campaign through the South, is to proceed directly to New Orleans, and commence there to make a Radical speech, making a tour through Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Northern Georgia and Tennessee. Senator Stewart, of Nevada, will leave here to-morrow for Mississippi, where he proposes to address the white and colored people in reference to their early duties under the Reconstruction acts.

Munroe of New Orleans.

Ex-Mayor Munroe, of New Orleans, arrived here to-day, on his way North. In conversation he stated that he was furnished with no reason for his removal from the Mayoralty by General Sheridan, and declares that he proposed to the military authorities to aid them in executing the laws of Congress, and in carrying out the details of the reconstruction act. He adds that thus far about 8,000 persons have been registered in New Orleans, but says that with the present registry the colored men will carry the city by several thousand, and elect men of their own race to the municipal offices. Munroe will extend his visit to Boston.

Colored Jufymen.

Among the cases pending in the United States Court for the eastern district of Virginia are two or three hundred suits for the collection of balances due from postmasters at the beginning of the war and remaining unpaid. It is stated that there are one or more colored men incinded in the jury selected for this term of the court.

The Pardon Business.

Gov. Patton, of Alabama, is here to testify before the Judiciary Committee in the impeachment investigation relative to the manner in which pardons were obtained for Alabamians. It will be recollected that as high as three hundred pardons were forwarded to the Executive of that State at one time, and it is charged that one agent in the business of obtaining pardons received forty thousand dollars for his services from citizens of Alabama.

The Injunction Cases.

Robert J. Walker will close the argument to-morrow in the Mississippi injunction case. On Saturday the Court will meet for consultation, and will probably decide that and the Georgia case. The opinion will therefore be written next week and rendered in open Court on Monday, May 13th.

Jeff. Davis's Trial.

Since sending a previous dispatch about the trial of Jeff. Davis, a telegram from Richmond says that Judge Underwood, of the District Court, has issued a writ directed to the United States Marshal to bring Jeff. Davis before him on Monday next. As no such proceeding has been had on previous occasions when the case has been called for trial, this action looks as though the trial was to be proceeded with at once, and that the prisoner is to be admitted to bail.

The Impeachment.

The Judiciary Committee met to-day on the impeachment investigation, and had a quorum present. The chairman did not arrive until late, and no witnesses were examined. Ex-Rebel Secretary of the Treasury Trenholm testifies to-morrow.

WASHINGTON, May 2, 1867.

NO COLORED CANDIDATE.

The colored citizens of the First ward decided not to nominate a candidate of their own race.

IMPEACHMENT INVESTIGATION.

The House Judiciary Committee met this morning to gather evidence to impeach the President. All the members were present except Mr. Wilson of Iowa, Boutwell and Woodbridge. They adjourned till to-morrow, without transacting any business.

METERS FOR DISTILLERIES.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has issued regulations for supplying distilleries with meters, and securing their proper attachment.

DECISION.

The Commissioner of the Land Office has decided in the case of a homestead settler who died unmarried, and whose father applied for preference in right to take land by ordinary process at one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, that this could not be granted, but on satisfactory proof of the death of the homestead party and settlement and cultivation under the eighth section of the homestead law, that land shall be paid for at one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, and entry made under the eighth section in favor of the heir of deceased.

LANDS FOR WISCONSIN.

There has been prepared at the General Land Office, to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for approval, a list of lands amounting to 199,430 acres, which have enured to the State of Wisconsin under the act of July 13, last, granting land to said State to aid in the construction of a harbor, breakwater and ship canal to connect the waters of Sturgeon Bay with Lake Michigan.

ARGUMENT.

The argument of the reconstruction injunction will be concluded in the Supreme Court to-morrow.

INTERNAL REVENUE.

The Internal Revenue receipts to-day were $1,766,309 36; total receipts for the month, $14,414,059 56; total since the beginning of the present fiscal year, $228,149,004 87.

CERTIFICATES.

The three per cent. certificates authorized by the act of March 2d, 1867, will not be issued before August. The compound interest notes falling due in June or July will probably be paid in money at maturity.

FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Murderer of Johns, the Telegraph Operator, Arrested.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 2.—The evidence before the Coroner's jury at Gosport to-day implicates Willie McMinnigg as the murderer of Johns. He has been arrested. The greatest excitement prevails. Ticket number 36,918 in the gift enterprise at Richmond, for the benefit of disabled soldiers, drew the prize of $8,000 in greenbacks.

From Fortress Monroe.

FORTRESS MONROE, May 1.—The steamer Proportis sailed from Norfolk for Liverpool with a large cargo of cotton, tobacco and rosin. The Matilda is daily expected, and will load a cargo of naval stores and cotton left behind the Proportis.

Forty-six prisoners, who has been confined in Libby Prison for some time, have arrived here to await their trials before courts martial.

Memphis Races.

MEMPHIS, May 2.—The races were largely attended to-day. Many turf men from abroad are present. The first race, dash of two miles, for a purse of $500, was won by Fannie Brown; time 4:07. The second, for $300, best two in three, was won by Mollie Austin; time 2:03½; second heat, 1:57½. The next meeting will take place on Saturday.

Woolen Factory Destroyed.

ROCHESTER, May 2.—The woolen factory of Charles Atkinson, at Fairport, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is estimated at $30,000; insured for $20,000.

MEXICO.

The Capital Occupied by Liberals.

Imperialists at Queretaro Starving.

Liberals Anxious to End the Struggle.

Reported Liberal Success at Queretaro Confirmed.

Maximilian Can't be Found.

NEW ORLEANS, May 3.—Advices from Tampico to the 24th ult. say Gomez has pronounced against Juarez and in favor of Ortega.

Dates from Matamoras to the 28th say news reached Monterey on the 24th to the following effect: Porfiero Diaz occupies a part of the City of Mexico, and has his headquarters at the Convent of Santa Domingo. Two squares of the main Plaza of the city are still defended by the Imperialists.

General Labert, at the head of a body of Imperialists, had made another attempt to cut his way out of Queretaro. The Imperialists at Queretaro were literally in a starving condition. General Guadaroma, who pursued and routed the Imperial forces under Marquese, has returned to Queretaro.

The Liberal troops at San Louis have been sent to Queretaro. The Liberals are anxious to end the struggle at Queretaro, and are working energetically and successfully to do so.

The *Times* of this city publishes a report received from a private source, which says: Another battle has been fought at Queretaro, resulting in the defeat of the demoralized Imperialists, and death of Miramon. After the fight Queretaro was occupied by the Liberals. Maximilian can't be found anywhere, and it is supposed he secretly fled. This confirms the report that Deaz had defeated Miramon, and that the Liberals were complete masters of the situation.

HIGHLY INTERESTING.

NEW YORK, May 2, 1867.

DEFAULTER ARRESTED.

A clerk in a Broadway bank has been arrested on a charge of defalcation.

CALIFORNIA FLOUR.

The steamer Henry Chauncey, which arrived this morning from Aspinwall, conveys over 9,000 sacks of flour from California.

SOUTHERN PLANTERS SOLICITING LOANS.

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to-day, a communication from the Board of Trade of Macon, requesting Boards of Trade in the North to take measures to receive subscriptions intended to enable the landholders of the South to hire and feed hands in their employ during the coming harvest, which has been secured by the Lien Law of Georgia on the autumn crop, was read and referred to the Executive Committee.

FAILURES IN CUBA.

Advices from Havana state that there are numerous failures for a large amount. A wealthy planter, Arguilne, suspended, with liabilities of two and a half millions, which his assets will go far to pay. Senor Oviedo, the Diamond Wedding man, has made arrangements with his creditors for $250,000, which will enable him to pay, and thus he is saved from becoming bankrupt. Several more failures are expected.

PASSENGERS FOR EUROPE.

Among the passengers who sailed to-day per the Bremen for Europe were W. Doel, Detroit; C. Hinking and family, Ohio; F. Vilegans and lady, Milwaukee; F. Bergenthal and family, Milwaukee; R. Bergenthal and family, Milwaukee; C. Happi, George Wagner, James Ohlwahler, Illinois; James Joerrie, Charles Klinhaner, Indiana; B. Tabber, Louisville; G. F. Thurber, Rochester, Indiana; Mrs. Oberland, Miss Emma Gress, Cleveland; George Toerg, S. Hoffman, Pittsburgh; G. J. Lenesen and wife, Illinois; Mrs. Anna C. Hoffman and three children, Pittsburgh; Jas. F. Thomas, Ills; Henry S. Bocky, Indianapolis; J. Grabing, Pittsburgh; A. Reinemann and family, Pittsburgh; R. Hoenligger, Miss T. Richenback, A. Welse, Miss Wiese, Pittsburgh; D. Pinger and family, Missouri; Mr. Long, Miss Long, Schmidth, Pittsburgh; G. Hoen, do; John Zeiling, do; Anton Framm, do; Charles Fliner, do; H. Leismann, Louisville; Mrs. F. Deger and children, Mrs. Anderson and family, Louisville; Emil Kiewerke, Milwaukee; J. C. Shaerlidig, Pennsylvania; H. Peterman and lady, Milwaukee.

COLORED CONVENTION.

A Mobile special to the *Tribune* says a convention of colored citizens of the State is now in session here. Its object is to take grounds as to their political welfare. They will proclaim unbroken alliance with the Republican party.

FROM PANAMA.

Militia Placed on a War Footing---Affairs in Australia---Wives for Convicts---Heavy Bank Robbery---Cotton Crop of Queenland---Bank Officers Arrested.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Per Henry Chauncey. The Panama *Star* says the President of the State, in view of the hostile attitude of the armed forces of Sevel De Goda, is taking steps to meet any emergency which may occur for the preservation of the State. Orders have been issued to organize the militia and place them on a war footing, and in Panama enlistment is carried on with energy.

Australian advices from Sidney to March 1st, and Wellington, 9th, have reached Panama. A French frigate with two hundred females, intended as wives for convicts, recently deported to New Caledonia, has touched Sidney *en route*. The exhibition which has closed attracted 30,000 visitors.

The Government had a majority of twenty on a division representing the new tariff, which is certain to become a law.

Bills and acceptances valued at nearly a million sterling were stolen from the Oriental Bank, but recovered. A clerk was arrested on suspicion of being the robber.

Cotton picking has commenced in Queensland. A large crop is expected.

Twelve vessels have been chartered to load with wheat from South Australia for England. The Zanoni, one of the fleet, capsized and sunk in a typhoon. The crew were saved.

R. Johnston, late chief teller of the Commercial Bank at Sidney, and Mr. Gray, manager of a branch thereof at Singleton, have been arrested for embezzlement.

FROM ST. LOUIS.

Secretary Stanton for Next President---Scarcity of Wheat in Minnesota.

ST. LOUIS, May 2.—The *Democrat's* Jefferson City dispatch says: Governor Fletcher and a number of the leading men of the Northwestern States are corresponding with a view of securing the nomination of Secretary Stanton for the next President.

The Dubuque *Herald* states on the authority of a gentleman from Minnesota that the Governor of that State is about to issue a proclamation urging the citizens to ship no more wheat down the river until after harvest, owing to a scarcity.

The *Democrat's* St. Joseph special says: A Julesburg dispatch of the 21st says that the Commissioners have succeeded in getting together at Bonvas Ranche and Medicine a hundred and fifty Indians, among them many of the most noted warriors south of the Platte river. They stated that they would remain peaceable if the Government would set aside three hundred thousand square miles of land as a reservation, the Government to protect them from all other tribes, and keep every one, both white and red, from trespassing on their reservation. They also require the Government to furnish them with arms, ammunition and provisions. The Commissioners were to reply to these modest requests on the following day.

FROM CANADA.

Parliament Further Prorogued--St. Lawrence Canal Opened.

MONTREAL, May 2.—Parliament is further prorogued until the 16th May.

The steamer St. George, from Glasgow, passed Farther Point this morning. The Moravian left the river for Portland this morning.

TORONTO, May 2.—The St. Lawrence Canal was opened to-day. Great activity in produce is looked for during the coming week. Breadstuffs are firm at high prices. There is a great quantity of grain here in warehouses, awaiting shipment.

FROM HARRISBURG.

Death Warrant of Gotlieb Williams Signed.

HARRISBURG, May 2.—The Governor has signed the death warrant of Gotlieb Williams, fixing the execution for June 4th. Williams killed an old lady named Miller last fall.

Attempt to Defraud the Government.

BOSTON, May 2.—R. L. Davis, Internal Revenue officer, W. A. Wright, shipmaster, E. H. Maxwell and Jno. E. Cassidy, were arraigned before the United States Commissioner, charged with conspiring to defraud the Government by obtaining a drawback on a large quantity of alcohol on the pretense of shipping it to Eastport, and then substituting water for spirits. They were held to bail in $10,000 each for trial.

Death from Apoplexy.

CINCINNATI, May 2.—J. L. Hickman, a well known real estate and money broker, died of apoplexy this morning.

From Richmond.

RICHMOND, May 2.—Chas. Gibbons, Speaker of Virginia House of Delegates, will address the negroes here to-morrow [illegible]

FROM FRANKLIN, PA.

Improvements in the Borough--Court Proceedings--Delegation for the Penitentiary

Special correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

FRANKLIN, May 1, 1867.

This ancient borough, known as the "Nursery of Great Men," is still endeavoring to keep pace with "the spirit of the age," and since the opening of spring, business of all kinds has revived wonderfully. Our people are commencing many public improvements. Among them may be noted the new Methodist and Presbyterian Churches, just started, and which, when finished, will be a credit to the congregations who have so liberally given for the accomplishment of these objects. Our new Union School House will soon be finished, and we think it one of the largest and best buildings of the kind in the State, and one which we have long stood in need of.

Court has been in session here during the last ten days, and many cases on the criminal calender have been disposed of. Those who have been selling liquors without license, received more than usual attention, no less than forty having been indicted by the Grand Jury. The most interesting case tried was that of the Commonwealth vs. Riley *alias* Hays, and Bennett *alias* Stewart for burglary, at Rouseville, early last winter. This is the same party that endeavored to escape while being brought here, by jumping from the window of a car while the train was running at full speed, but being chained together they could not travel fast, and were overhauled by the police having them in charge, and have since been confined in the county jail, from which they have made several unsuccessful attempts to escape. A few days before their trial, finding that escape was impossible, Riley assumed to be insane, and during the whole trial he played his part magnificently, not speaking a word, but kept his eye fixed on the door, staring at every one that entered the court room. The evidence was overwhelming against them. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and they were sentenced to eight years' confinement, at labor, in the Western Penitentiary. One or two more will probably constitute the number of the delegation from Venango county to that celebrated institution.

FRANKLIN.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

The *Herald's* special says: The President has pardoned Solomon Kahnstamm, convicted of presenting fraudulent claims against the Government in 1862, and sentenced to ten year's imprisonment.

Fifty thousand dollars is the fee claimed by the counsel employed by the United States to defend the Fenians on trial in Canada last winter, and the question arises as to how Mr. Seward can pay it, there being no provision for any such outlay, and the Senate not being very apt to grant any appropriation for the purpose.

The *Herald's* Montgomery, Alabama, special of yesterday says: A large gathering of freedmen, mainly women, assembled to-day at the National Cemetery and decorated the graves of Union soldiers. This was intended as an ovation to the nation and as an offset to the decoration of the graves of the rebels by Southern ladies. The procession was long and orderly.

Governor Pierpont has appointed John Oliver, a colored man of Richmond, a notary public for the city of Richmond and county of Henrico. He is a man of respectability and intelligence, and is the first colored man ever appointed to such an office.

A *Herald* special says: Senator Wilson received another ovation from the colored people of Wilmington, North Carolina, yesterday. He made a speech of the usual tenor, and was replied to by Mr. Benjamin Robinson, a local orator. The audience was very enthusiastic. The national flag was displayed from the public buildings, and a procession with banners, flags, mottoes and devices paraded the streets.

A *Herald* special via San Francisco, gives news from Yokohama, Japan, up to the 3d of April. The war with Choisin, was suspended. Apologies had been demanded by the British Minister, and made by the Mikado, for insults offered to the British officers by the natives. Another fire had destroyed a large portion of Yokohama, and several incendiaries have been discovered.

The steamer Henry Chauncey, with California dates to the 10th, arrived at New York yesterday. The relations between Peru and Chile are far from cordial, and a termination of the Spanish question is all that is necessary to lead to a rupture. Cholera is carrying off many in the principal cities in Nicaragua. In Leon one hundred deaths occurred in one day.

During the present year 44,827 emigrants have arrived at New York, being not quite one thousand less than the number arriving during the corresponding period last year.

The packet ship Hibernia, Captain Johnson, was burned Wednesday evening at the Black Ball dock, New York. The loss is about one hundred thousand dollars. One policeman and a fireman were injured, and one fireman is missing. One policeman was saved through the instrumentality of the colored steward, who threw him overboard and, jumping after him, conveyed him ashore.

A New York dispatch says: A day or two ago a telegram was received at police headquarters, this city, stating that James B. Cross, forger and note criminal, belonging to the latter city, was present in New York, and asking that he might be arrested and detained until necessary process for transfer to Illinois could be completed. Detective Elder having been detached, soon found Mr. Cross living quite good naturedly at the Metropolitan Hotel, and escorted him under arrest from a brown stone mansion on Broadway to marble halls on Mulberry street, where he was provided with accommodations, and where he will remain awaiting the arrival of an escort detached by the officials of Chicago.

STATE ITEMS.

Alexander E. Brown, Esq., a member of the bar of Northampton county for nearly fifty years, died at Easton on the 26th ult.

The friends of Dr. J. B. Downey, late of the 77th and 78th Regiments Pennsylvania Volunteers, will be pleased to learn that the Surgeon General has again added his name to the list of Surgeons in the army. The Doctor has been directed to report at Vicksburg, Miss., for further orders.

Mr. Joseph Dillinger, of Cussewago township, Crawford county, on Friday the 26th inst., took dinner with a neighbor, and on his return to Mr. James Hamilton's, where he boarded, was seen by the family descending a hill in the road, and not coming to the house as soon as they thought he should. Mr. Hamilton went to look for him, and found him lying in the road where he had fell forward on his face and died without a struggle. He had lived a quiet, peacable citizen in the neighborhood where he died, for over forty years. He was a soldier in the war of 1812. He leaves no family or known relative, and was supposed to be about ninety years old.

The Beaver County Republican Convention, for the nomination of candidates for county offices, will be held on Monday, June 3d, in the borough of Beaver.

The Grand Jury of Blair county have recommended an addition to the county jail, which at present is inadequate for the safe keeping of prisoners.

The Conneautville *Record* says: The past winter has been the most severe upon sheep that has been known in this section for years, nearly every flock suffering more or less heavily. Good farmers, who heretofore have brought their flocks through safely, this winter have lost from twenty to thirty head in every hundred, in spite of the most watchful care and attention. We have not learned what were the most fatal diseases, but hear that grub in the head has carried off numbers in flocks not well attended to. This disease has heretofore been unknown in this vicinity.

The *Banner von Berks*, of Reading, is responsible for the following snake story: "One day, week before last, the family of Mr. Texter, residing near the deep cut on the Reading and Columbia Railroad, in Spring township, were attracted to the yard by the screaming of a cat, when they found her engaged in a desperate combat with a monster black snake, measuring between five and six feet in length and five and one-half inches in circumference. After a desperate and ex iting contest his snakeship c in and laid prostrate before the victorio who continued the work of destructio the life of the enemy became extinct."

The Erie *Dispatch* says: "At a din held in Bell Valley on the 25th inst., t gate age of thirteen guests was nin and sixty-nine years. Of the thi merated, there was one couple in th 84th years, who have been mar and have been residents of this 80th; one father in his 84th ye lived in Erie county since 18 her 85th year, who has re farm since 1804 (63 year resident of the county 74, also a resident one couple aged 67 aged 68 and 62; one lady age dents of aged -

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Meeting of the Peace Conference.

Fenians Sentenced to be Hanged.

The Peace Conference.

LONDON, May 2.—The day for the meeting of the Peace Conference is again changed, and it is now announced that the diplomatic preliminaries are so far advanced that the Conference will hold its first session on the 7th inst.

The Fenians.

DUBLIN, May 2.—The Fenian prisoners, Burke and Doran, were convicted of high treason and sentenced to be hung on the 29th of May. The trial of McCafferty is now in progress.

London Money Market.

LONDON, May 2, Noon.—Consols 91; 5-20s, 72; Illinois Central, 79½; Erie, 42¾.

LONDON, May 2, Evening.—Consols, 91¾; American securities a shade weaker; 5-20s 71¾; Illinois Central, 79¾; Erie, 42¾.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, May 2, Noon.—Cotton firm; sales today 16,000 bales. Middling uplands, 11¾d; Orleans, 12d.

Breadstuffs—Western red wheat, 13s 9d; California, 14s 6d. Corn, 41s. Barley, 4s 9d. Oats, 2s 7d. Peas, 44s 6d.

Provisions—Unchanged. Pork, 77s 6d. Beef, 127s 6d. Bacon, 58s. Lard 57s 3d. Cheese, 60s.

Produce—Spirits of petroleum, 1s 2d; refined petroleum, 1s 3d. Pot ashes, 34s. Spirits turpentine, 30s. Rosin, common, 7s 3d; fine, 18s 9d. Tallow, 44s. Linseed, 57s.

LIVERPOOL, April 30, Noon.—Cotton market closed at a decline; middling uplands 11¾d; Orleans 11¾d. Sales 15,000 bales. Breadstuffs unchanged. Provisions steady and unchanged. Produce unchanged.

London Markets.

LONDON, May 2, Evening.—Iron advanced 6d; pig 52s6d.

Antwerp Petroleum Market.

ANTWERP, May 2, Evening.—Petroleum 42 francs.

Frankfort Money Market.

LONDON, May 2.—American Bonds closed at Frankfort last night at 76¾.

BY MAILS.

Panic in the London Market---The Luxemburg Question----French Army Prepared for Any Emergency---Austrian Expedition to Eastern Asia---Fortress Belgrade Ceded to Servia---The Spanish Question, &c., &c.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The steamship Persia, from Liverpool on the 20th, and Queenstown on the 21st, arrived at 8 this evening.

The London *Times'* city article of the 19th says: The heavy quotations from Berlin caused a renewed decline in consols, accompanied by a fresh panic in foreign securities, averaging six per cent. Judging from the effect of each adverse rumor from Berlin or Paris, the impression was universally entertained that any rupture between France and Germany would be the signal for every nation in the world to repudiate their obligations. The panic from Berlin on the 19th, when the government tried to effect sales without assigning any reason. The King's speech, it is assumed, produced a bad effect.

The *Morning Herald* says: It is intimated that the feeling at Berlin was produced by the threat of Bismarck to resign, the King of Prussia being disposed to force war at all hazards.

The *Times'* Paris correspondent states that a private letter from Berlin mentions that Bismarck recently declared to a foreign diplomat that it was impossible for him to make any concession in regard to Luxemburg. He could not, consistently with honor, give up the Prussian troops from the Fortress, or admit the question open to negotiation; and even if Prussia was willing, Germany will not hear of it.

There was a vague rumor that the King of Prussia was at the Paris Exhibition.

The *Times* editorially says: Nothing at this moment could be more significant than the speech in which the King of Prussia opened the first session of the North German Parliament. All reticence is now cast aside, and what ever important France and Austria may attach to the fact, the King of Prussia claims no foreign or people deem German nationality as a matter with which foreign powers have any business to concern themselves.

The *Memorial Diplomatique*, publishes a telegram from Berlin, stating that Prussia has determined not to evacuate Luxemburg under any circumstances, and in official circles such evacuation will be considered as equivalent to an evacuation of the position Prussia acquired by recent events.

A Paris correspondent says he is assured preparations are being made in every French army ready for any emergency, and it is better prepared for a sudden call than many suppose.

A telegram from Paris, 19th, to the *Daily Telegraph*, says there is no truth in the rumor that France is about to declare war. The Emperor is said, however, to be prepared for any emergency. When the Mexican transports return, 50,000 troops will be landed on the coast.

The *Standard*, of the evening of the 19th denies the rumored dispatch of a French note to Prussia calling out the reserve.

The Paris *Constitutionnel* says the Russian Commissioner about to visit England, saying he will come at a most opportune moment for explanations on the English system.

Baron Von Wilmisdlaf has resigned the Ministry of Commerce, and is appointed commander of the Austrian expedition to Eastern Asia, with power to conclude commercial treaties with Siam, Japan and China.

The Fortress of Belgrade has been ceded to Servia, and was taken possession of by the Servian authorities on the 19th, Prince Michael reading the Sultan's firman that day to the people.

The London *Times*, after discussing the Spanish decision relative to the Victoria, says: Now a first instance of redress has been obtained, and we trust the last. It remains to the adjustment of differences, and nothing but the continued imprisonment of McPherson, engineer of the Tonconda, stands in the way of accepting the proposition in reference to arbitration.

The London *Morning Post* says the people of America have not concluded the bargain for Russian America merely for an ambitious desire to enlarge their territory, but with a view of turning it to profitable account as they did Louisiana and Florida.

The King and Queen of Portugal leaves Lisbon for Paris on the 24th.

Bank of Portugal notes have been forged, and a photographer arrested.

A Madrid letter of the 14th states that it was known that an English fleet was cruising before Cadiz, but the journals were interdicted from publishing the fact.

The Spanish Government has appointed John Oliver, a colored man of Richmond, a notary public for the city of Richmond and county of Henrico. He is a man of respectability and intelligence, and is the first colored man ever appointed to such an office.

A *Herald* special says: Senator Wilson received another ovation from the colored people of Wilmington, North Carolina, yesterday. He made a speech of the usual tenor, and was replied to by Mr. Benjamin Robinson, a local orator. The audience was very enthusiastic. The national flag was displayed from the public buildings, and a procession with banners, flags, mottoes and devices paraded the streets.

A *Herald* special via San Francisco, gives news from Yokohama, Japan, up to the 3d of April. The war with Choisin, was suspended. Apologies had been demanded by the British Minister, and made by the Mikado, for insults offered to the British officers by the natives. Another fire had destroyed a large portion of Yokohama, and several incendiaries have been discovered.

The steamer Henry Chauncey, with California dates to the 10th, arrived at New York yesterday. The relations between Peru and Chile are far from cordial, and a termination of the Spanish question is all that is necessary to lead to a rupture. Cholera is carrying off many in the principal cities in Nicaragua. In Leon one hundred deaths occurred in one day.

During the present year 44,827 emigrants have arrived at New York, being not quite one thousand less than the number arriving during the corresponding period last year.

The packet ship Hibernia, Captain Johnson, was burned Wednesday evening at the Black Ball dock, New York. The loss is about one hundred thousand dollars. One policeman and a fireman were injured, and one fireman is missing. One policeman was saved through the instrumentality of the colored steward, who threw him overboard and, jumping after him, conveyed him ashore.

A New York dispatch says: A day or two ago a telegram was received at police headquarters, this city, stating that James B. Cross, forger and note criminal, belonging to the latter city, was present in New York, and asking that he might be arrested and detained until necessary process for transfer to Illinois could be completed. Detective Elder having been detached, soon found Mr. Cross living quite good naturedly at the Metropolitan Hotel, and escorted him under arrest from a brown stone mansion on Broadway to marble halls on Mulberry street, where he was provided with accommodations, and where he will remain awaiting the arrival of an escort detached by the officials of Chicago.

STATE ITEMS.

Alexander E. Brown, Esq., a member of the bar of Northampton county for nearly fifty years, died at Easton on the 26th ult.

The friends of Dr. J. B. Downey, late of the 77th and 78th Regiments Pennsylvania Volunteers, will be pleased to learn that the Surgeon General has again added his name to the list of Surgeons in the army. The Doctor has been directed to report at Vicksburg, Miss., for further orders.

Mr. Joseph Dillinger, of Cussewago township, Crawford county, on Friday the 26th inst., took dinner with a neighbor, and on his return to Mr. James Hamilton's, where he boarded, was seen by the family descending a hill in the road, and not coming to the house as soon as they thought he should. Mr. Hamilton went to look for him, and found him lying in the road where he had fell forward on his face and died without a struggle. He had lived a quiet, peacable citizen in the neighborhood where he died, for over forty years. He was a soldier in the war of 1812. He leaves no family or known relative, and was supposed to be about ninety years old.

The Beaver County Republican Convention, for the nomination of candidates for county offices, will be held on Monday, June 3d, in the borough of Beaver.

The Grand Jury of Blair county have recommended an addition to the county jail, which at present is inadequate for the safe keeping of prisoners.

The Conneautville *Record* says: The past winter has been the most severe upon sheep that has been known in this section for years, nearly every flock suffering more or less heavily. Good farmers, who heretofore have brought their flocks through safely, this winter have lost from twenty to thirty head in every hundred, in spite of the most watchful care and attention. We have not learned what were the most fatal diseases, but hear that grub in the head has carried off numbers in flocks not well attended to. This disease has heretofore been unknown in this vicinity.

The *Banner von Berks*, of Reading, is responsible for the following snake story: "One day, week before last, the family of Mr. Texter, residing near the deep cut on the Reading and Columbia Railroad, in Spring township, were attracted to the yard by the screaming of a cat, when they found her engaged in a desperate combat

The Daily Commercial

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1867.

JEFFERSON DAVIS, it is said, is about to ask ANDREW JOHNSON for a pardon—and, no doubt, ANDREW will grant what JEFFERSON so much desires; to ask it, however, must cost no inconsiderable struggle in his own mind. The thing is decidedly suggestive; and the picture of the haughty JEFFERSON DAVIS humbly beseeching ANDREW JOHNSON, the Plebeian, whom all his life he has affected to despise, for a pardon, will readily occur, even to the least imaginative mind. But if the Plebeian should say no, for once, we fancy Mr. JOHNSON would have the congratulations of all capable of interpreting the sometimes mysterious philosophy of time's whirligig. But he won't do so—and DAVIS will go free.

A BIG drum-corps is in the field, and if all assembled at one muster, would, no doubt, make noise enough to justify the figurative application to them of the names they bea[r] almost any recent class of [m]achines manufacturing, mercantile and other kinds of business. It is said that Chicago has no less than 2,000 of these active, energetic, shrewd men, traversing all sections of the country, making sales, looking for customers, collecting debts, &c. New York is said to have 6,000 employed in the same way, and Boston 3,000, while other cities swell up the aggregate to 20,000. Pittsburgh is presumed to be included among the aggregate—in the steerage—as it is not named. She will loom up after consolidation.

WHILE we in the West are looking for the outbreak of *Cholera*, toward the Atlantic coast, and are almost surprised that it does not appear in New York, along with some of those ships that bring thither a thousand squalid immigrants each, which way is New York looking for the advent of the Cholera? With clean hands and face, she looks for Cholera, if it come at all, to make its appearence in the large towns of the Mississippi Valley—among which Pittsburgh holds, geographically, and perhaps in other respects, the uppermost rank. While it would occasion more grief than surprise, if Pittsburgh should be the [s]tarting place of the Cholera, we cannot but be delighted to hear of the cleanliness of New York, and, according to the apothegm of a noted divine, cleanliness [is] next to godliness. And if virtue is really going to re-visit that great metropolis, we respectfully bespeak her early attention to the purgation of its politics.

THE report made to the meeting of stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, held in Philadelphia, on Tuesday last, and the debates thereon, give the public some idea of the magnitude of that corporation. The suspicion which exists concerning the exercise of the power lodged in the hands of the managers, would be natural, even did not its exercise tend directly to create it. That this power should be exerted to repress enterprise and prevent the construction of other roads which would contribute in an important manner to develope and enrich the State, cannot be viewed in any other light by the great body of the stockholders, or the public, than as a misguided policy—injurious alike to their own and the public interest. A corporation so powerful and so capable to command business, surely need fear no competition likely to arise from the construction of any road that would result from a Free Railroad Law. It is one of the strange things in this connection that gentlemen possessing the shrewdness the Central managers are universally credited with, should not perceive what must be the consequences, in the end, of the continued interposition of their power to defeat this measure of the people Whether the corporation or the people are strongest, is a question, it would seem, that they cannot expect to push to the extreme issue with advantage to the corporation they represent. So far as we know, every Pennsylvanian feels a just pride in this great institution, and, if necessary, would as promptly defend its interests as he now demands that it shall no further encroach on the interests of the people. It is true that we perceive nothing of the kind in the proceedings of the meeting referred to, but we can scarcely question that this view of the subject must have occurred to the minds of not a few of those who were in attendance. And we cannot help hoping that the future policy of the management, although nothing is said about it in the proceedings, will evince a thorough reform in reference to the Free Law; so that the People's Legislature, which is to be chosen next fall, will be spared the necessity, while it provides security for the future, of responding to a popular call for legislation that might be deemed aggressive.

LEGISLATIVE CORRUPTION—THE DUTY OF THE PEOPLE.

The press of the State is becoming awake to the importance of a thorough reform in legislation—more especially in the character of our legislative bodies; and in plain terms it is urging upon the people their duty in their future political action. Nor is the responsibility of the incorruptible members of our legislative bodies suffered to escape notice. To this branch of the subject we have already drawn attention, and we are glad to find in the Philadelphia *Telegraph* similar views set forth. From that paper we make the following quotation:

"The good men are too easy, too quiet, too well satisfied with simply voting as they believe to be right, and do not take such steps as they ought to take to ferret out and punish the rascalities of the bribed and perjured scoundrels who bring the whole body into disrepute. Neither the press nor the people can stop to draw nice distinctions. We see bad measures pass our legislative bodies; the air is full of rumors of corruption; even good measures and wise laws are said to be obtained, in many instances, only by *fearful* rapacious rings; and under such circumstances the people conclude, and we think pretty correctly, that the Legislature, as a body, is controlled by corrupt influences. If good men would relieve themselves from this indiscriminate odium, they must do something to show where they stand; they must make their influence felt on the side of purity of legislation; they must declare war upon the public thieves and plunderers who disgrace the name and fame of the Legislature. He who stands quietly by and sees public morality outraged, bids fair to become the criminal."

THE NEW DAY'S WORK.

The eight-hour law went into operation day before yesterday in Illinois. Whether the plows and the corn-planters on the prairies stood still at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and the farmers, with their hired hands, spent the balance of the day in pitching quoits or reading the county papers, we have no telegram from the rural districts to inform us. But we learn that in Chicago, the largest and most thriving town in the State, the auspicious era was inaugurated with no work at all, but a grand celebration in stead, with processions, music, flags, banners, and hilarious shoutings.

How the law will work, or rather, how the work will go on under the law, we shall wait with some curiosity to see. Illinois will out-paradise Utopia, if it shall succeed in abrogating the old truism, that it takes two to make a bargain. This is evidently contemplated by some as the result of the legislation on this subject. But the

FREE NATI[O]NKING.

To the Editor of the Pi[t]*mercial:*

In an article in your [i]ssue, 25th ult., [e]rged th[e] [n]ecessity of [a] [u]niform currency, and suggested that the following steps should be taken: First, that all the notes should be made payable in coin; and secondly, that all currency should, when due, be paid in coin, unless the premium as might rule at the time; so that the inevitable fluctuations of commodities might be met by an equivalent reduction or increase for those commodities, and thus the creditor both let and borrower stand upon a standard which in reality should not vary, and which is indorsed by the government, [a]s having been done by individuals.

It was [t]he contracts which ought never to be [e]d by a nation like our own [w]ith the same mode will be divised to re[m]ove the impossibility. [I] [a] truly national free banking [s]ystem in the business of the people of [t]he United States, and adjusted by the natural laws of other pursuits, will serve our purpose, the object of this article is to make some suggestions to the proper treatment of the subject by [l]egislation, of which, thus far, we have had too [m]uch.

If we consider that all our capital can be readily divided into two portions, one of which is, and the other of which is not, a fit foundation for banking, connected with the issue of notes, we shall obtain a clearer view of the subject than appears to have been presented hitherto, to the minds of those who make our laws, which unfortunately are in opposition to the laws of trade, and they do more harm than good.

No body of men, however wise they may be, can tell how much capital, bank note currency, or specie, the constantly increasing commerce of our country requires. Hence we insist at the outset that there shall be no legislation on the subject of banking other than is necessary to insure the prompt par redemption of the notes issued, not only at the bank, but at the natural trade center of the section where the bank is located.

And this shall be done by taking into the possession of the Government, either State or general, an amount of valuable productive property in addition to, and not as part of, the working capital, sufficient to make it absolutely certain, not only that the notes should be finally redeemed, but that it should be done at all times, and without any delay, under a heavy penalty for failure.

If we are to have notes, as we certainly must, let us have good ones, about which there cannot be even the apprehension of delay, much less of loss.

To insure this result, we should simply require to know that not only the loan of the bank, but all its live working capital, was invested in short date, legitimate business paper, which should be the title to, and representative of, commodities at specie prices, and therefore more acceptable to the creditor than specie itself. It is not necessary, it is worse than useless, to undertake to determine by legislation how much specie a banker needs to meet his liabilities. Put him under heavy bonds to meet his notes at the point to which they naturally flow, and where in fact are worth most to the holder, and then let him alone.

No two banks are alike in their business, and no one is the same two days in succession, and therefore all laws like that long one of June 4, 1864, passed by Congress, are simply stumbling blocks, and do nothing but mischief, by dictating about details which are really of no consequence and cannot be controlled.

Repeal all such laws and then provide that the South and West, as well as the North and East, may establish [b]ut [a]ny banks and invest just as much [c]apital [a]s [m]any notes as may be desired, [p]rovided always that, under all circumstances, [t]hey shall be made as good as specie [a]nd [i]mmediately payable in specie, the place of issue, but at each [h]older's option, forward which they inevitably flow [i]n a half a page length would contain all the provisions necessary for all the banking that all the world wants, and sooner or later it is to this simple, true form we shall come, and then find security against suspensions and all other financial irregularities.

BOSTON, April 27, 1867. D. W.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

The plans for the East river bridge are completed, and a public meeting to discuss them will be held in Brooklyn in the course of the next week. It is proposed to construct a bridge with one floor only, to run from the junction of Main and Fulton streets, Brooklyn, to Fulton and Chatham streets, New York; width 75 feet. Cars may pass across it at the rate of ten miles an hour, propelled by stationary engines, such as are now in use in London.

The Tremont Mills and Suffolk Manufacturing Company of Lowell, Mass., have given the operatives in their employ notice of a partial stoppage of work in their mills. One-half of the work of each corporation is to be stopped on the expiration of the notice, and the manufacture of woolen goods is to be entirely suspended. The operatives are generally ill and there is no disposition to fill their places, and those out of employ find it very difficult, if not impossible, to get work.

It appears from the returns of the Registrar General of Ireland that the number of births registered during the three months ending the last of last December was 33,753. The deaths for the same period were 22,260, while by emigration the population was lessened by 12,861. A decrease of 1,348 would seem to have taken place during the period specified.

A London newspaper says that Mormonism is in a very flourishing condition in Kensington, and that the Saints are rapidly increasing in numbers and influence. They give concerts and *conversiziones* in aid of the Salt Lake emigration fund, and find no difficulty in persuading young men and women to try their fortunes among the Saints of the Dale city. It is to the credit of the laboring American classes that the Mormon missionaries find their converts chiefly among foreigners.

A secret caucus of the Republican members of the Virginia Legislature was held on Friday night last, and the result was the circulation, just previous to adjournment, of a call for a State Convention of Union men, to be held at Charlottesville on the 29th of May. It received a considerable number of signatures. The Richmond papers view the movement with apprehension, believing that it is called for the purpose of organizing a Republican party in response to the invitation of Senator Wilson.

The oldest daughter of G. B. Beebe, editor of the *Bonanza of Liberty*, published in New York, committed suicide on Saturday, by shooting herself with a pistol. She had been engaged to be married to a young man, but her father had her placed in a lunatic asylum to break up the match. The officers of the asylum, finding she was not insane, let her go home. Learning of the marriage of the gentleman to whom she had been engaged, she deliberately shot herself.

The firm of J. Steenbeck & Co., of Richmond, Va., against whom an attachment was recently levied by Messrs. Claflin & Co., of New York, for $48,000, and in consequence of which their store has been closed, have taken steps to quash the attachment, and in order to indemnify themselves have instituted suit for $250,000, and have called and had bail taken for them to be served on about two hundred reputed debtors of Claflin & Co., in various towns in Virginia.

PERSONAL.

—Ristori, it is said, has made $270,000 clear profit by playing one hundred and sixty-eight nights during her visit to the United States.

—A duel was fought last Monday afternoon, April 29th, by two of the Kentucky chivalry, near Bourbon Station, Bourbon county, eight miles from Paris, Kentucky. The parties were Noah H. Alexander, only twenty years old, and Isaac S. Hanson, twenty-four years, a brother of General Roger Hanson, formerly of the Confederate States Army. They stood on the celebrated tresselwork over Townsend Creek—to have fallen from which would have been death—ten paces apart. Then, at a signal, they fired pistols, and they fired five shots each, when the seconds secured a reconciliation. Hanson received a slight wound in the hip, the rest of his adversary's balls passing through his clothing. Alexander escaped without a scratch, one ball passing through the leg of his boot, and the others missing entirely.

—That renowned convert and brilliant clerical politician, Archbishop Manning, has published a new Papal Bull in indulgence of one year to all who shall devoutly recite the *Gloria Patri* and *Ave Maria* with the intention of obtaining from God the entire and perfect conversion of the English nation to the obedience of the truth and to intimate reconciliation with the chair of St. Peter. The Pope has granted the prayers and the Archbishop has published the rescript, expressing his hope of this union to the "Holy See, the Misfress of faith and truth."

—The Charleston (S. C.) *Courier* states that "Uncle" John Hanks, of Macon county, who at an early day, in that county, helped Mr. Lincoln split rails and build the cabin which, since the latter's death, he purchased and exhibited, has made arrangements to take it to Paris, to exhibit it at the great Exposition. The cabin has been in Philadelphia since the fall of 1865.

—Mr. Handel Cossham, an English clergyman, in his prayer after a late discourse, delivered an earnest supplication that the country might be delivered from the rule and domination of her Majesty's present advisers."

—Tribulation Cumming has published a book called "The Last Woe," in which he says that the Jews are to be converted and the Papacy is to be extinguished between the autumnal equinox of 1867 and the same period of 1868.

TRAGEDY IN OHIO.—The Cleveland *Leader* of Tuesday says: An appalling tragedy took place yesterday about two miles East of the village of Wellington. It appears that a woman named Knapp, whose husband lost his life in the army three years ago, has been for some time living on terms of improper intimacy with a man named De Long. Not long since she obtained a loan of six hundred dollars from DeLong, promising as security a mortgage on a small estate left her by her husband. Having secured the money she refused to give the mortgage. Enraged at this, De Long procured a revolver and went to her house and deliberately shot her through the breast, and immediately afterwards ended his wretched, desperate life by shooting himself. He lingered a few hours and expired. Mrs. Knapp, at last accounts, was still living, but her life was despaired of.

THE State Department professes not to know anything about the report that Russia is willing to take several iron-clads in part payment for our recent purchase of territory. Outside the Department the report finds some credence, because it is well known that the Czar has long been anxious to become the possessor of a fleet of monitors, and the desire was strengthened, it is said, by the visit of Captain Fox and the Miantonomah.

MOTHS, MOTHS, MOTHS.

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The above articles we are prepared [to] the finest assortment of [t]he city, consisting of [t]Brands [a]

ACKNOWLEDGING THE LOGIC OF EVENTS—Robert W. Hughes, of Abingdon, Va., one of the most polished writers of the South, once a prominent secessionist, and editor of the Richmond *Examiner* during the war, declares himself on the present political position in these words:

"I avow a radical change of opinion on many leading points of politics. More especially am I wearied of the practice which the South has pursued since the beginning of this great and eventful controversy, of sacrificing attainable good, attainable right, attainable justice, for a good, a right, a justice for the most part abstract, intangible and of doubtful value."

IN New York a more cheerful feeling prevails in business circles generally, and more pleasant anticipations and expectations are indulged in both for the balance of the Spring and Fall trade. In fact, should no unexpected and unforeseen unfavorable circumstances be developed, it is believed that the Fall trade will be good, and that it will bring the average for the year up to a very respectable figure, though not perhaps to that which has ruled for the last two or three years.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from North Carolina gives the following item: "On the road I saw a perfect illustration of one phase of Southern life. A woman was plowing in a field, and within a few rods of her—completing the picture—was a man, with dog and gun, proceeding to the hunt."

THE CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD CASE.—The hearing in the case of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad against the Mayor of the city of Baltimore will take place before the United States Supreme Court, in Washington, on Monday next. The Somerset *Whig* says: "This is the case that was tried before the United States District Court at Williamsport last summer, and involves the constitutionality of the act of our Legislature repealing the charter of this road. Should the Supreme Court sustain the opinion of the District Court, that the repealing act is unconstitutional, and the charter of the company thereby restored, we are assured that the road will be put under contract within a very brief period. That the act is unconstitutional, and that the highest judicial tribunal in the land will finally so adjudge it, we do not entertain the shadow of a doubt. But should there be a great many exceptions taken to the rulings of the Court below, its judgment may be reversed on some minor point and the case remanded to it for a rehearing. This of course would create further delay, which is believed to be the main object of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the real party in this cause. We hope, however, for a speedy and final judgment."

THE TURF.—The trotting season is now inaugurated, and turfites will hereafter have as much as they can do to watch the course of racing events which throng so rapidly. The great matches of the season between Lady Thorn and Dexter are attracting general attention from all sporting men. There will be three trots—the first on Tuesday, May 28, mile heats, $2,000 a side, mile heats, best three in five, in harness; the second on Friday, June 7, mile heats, three in five, to wagons, and the third on June 14, two-mile heats, in harness. The proprietor of Lady Thorn has offered to match the Kentucky mare against Geo. M. Patchen, Jr., in two races, the first to harness, the second to wagons, both mile heats, three in five, for $2,-000 a side, the race to come off on the Fashion Course, between the 20th of September and the 20th of October.

THE movement to permit places of recreation for the poorer classes to be opened on Sunday, is pressed with great vigor in England, but without much prospect of success. Father Richardson, a noted temperance leader among the Irish Catholics in that country, has made an earnest appeal for the opening of such places, where visitors will not be compelled to drink, as they are at the gin and beer gardens. He says if people could go to the Crystal Palace or zoological gardens—to such places as are open to them in every continental country—where no drinking is required, thousands would gather Sunday afternoons and evenings without drunkenness and disorder; but he despairs of preventing them from going to public houses, and drinking, until other places are open to them.

BANKRUPTCY REGULATIONS.—The much talked of rules and regulations of the Supreme Court, relative to the Bankrupt Law, will appear in the form of manual practice for the use of registers and attorneys, similar in character to the existing manual for equity practice. The document will be a book of two hundred pages, made up chiefly of forms. The first part is now going through the press, the copy being supplied as the Court finds time for preparing it. A strong effort is making to complete the work so that it can be submitted to the full bench for approval or revision by the middle of May.

REPUBLICAN organizations are springing up throughout the South. A Newbern letter says: The Republicans are well organized, and have an association embracing every Yankee in the place, "Yankee" now having a signification down here which covers every man, whether from Massachusetts or Maryland, who fought under the flag, or who favors the loyal cause. There is yet considerable bitterness of feeling here among those of rebel proclivities, and, without the negro vote, our friends would be in a hopeless minority; but with it, they confidently expect to carry this district.

A QUEER HEARSE.—We find the following in a letter from Marseilles: We saw, passing through the streets, several hearses of singular construction, combining, with truly French economy, accommodations for a small family of mourners and for the body which they were bearing to the grave,—the frost having the body and rents of a cab, joined to a long carriage for the body. In one of these was a priest reading his breviary; in another, a man and children were seated, accompanying the body.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That the undersigned has taken out Letters of Administration on the estate of REUBEN HAGER, late of this city. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to me at No. 3, Scott street, Allegheny, Pittsburgh, and those having claims upon said estate are notified to present the same for settlement.

EMANUEL ECKER,
Administrator for the Estate of Reuben Hager.
Pittsburgh, April 4, 1867.

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H. G. FIELDS, Secretary.
New Orleans, April 19, 1867.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, the undersigned, David Reinhart and J. A. Martin, administrators of T. M. Martin, late of said county, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1867,

On the premises, at 10 o'clock, A. M., all that certain

Tract of Land,

Situate in Collins township, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning on the northwest side of the Allegheny Valley Railroad at the point where the line of lands of Hon. W. M'Candless comes to said Railroad; thence by said line of M'Candless' land north 40½ deg., west 34.6 5-100 feet to the Allegheny river at low water mark; thence down said river by the courses thereof south 30 deg. 9 min., west 384 56-100 feet to the line of land now or late of Jr. Peter Mowry, deceased; thence by said land south 46 deg., east 588 5 feet to the Allegheny Valley Railroad aforesaid; and thence by the line of said Railroad northeastwardly 335 34-100 feet to the beginning; containing 4 Acres, 60 43-100 Perches, strict measure.

Terms of Sale—One-half cash upon confirmation of sale, and the remaining one-half in one year from confirmation with interest, secured by bond and mortgage. Stamps and conveyancing to be paid by the purchaser.

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J. A. HARTIN,
Administrators of T. M. Martin, dec'd.
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NOTICES.

JAMES P. HANNA THISDAY

Retires from the firm of Ira R. McVay & Co., and JAMES C. McVAY and W. S. BURCHFIELD are admitted; style of firm same as heretofore.

IRA R. McVAY & CO.

Pittsburgh, May 1, 1867. tf

PITTSBURGH, May 1, 1867.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE RALSTON OIL CO., have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT on the capital stock of the Company, payable to the th with, at the r Office, No. 251 Liberty street.

WILLIAM H. KIRKPATRICK, Treasurer.

SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, }
Pittsburgh, 1st May, 1867. }

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of this Bank have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT on the capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, free of Government tax, on and after the 10th inst.

ROBT. J. STONEY, Cashier.

IRON CITY NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, }
Pittsburgh, May 1, 1867. }

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of this Bank have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF SIX PER CENT on the capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, free of Government tax, to Stockholders or their legal representative, on and after the 10th inst.

J. MAGOFFIN, Cashier.

PITTS., FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY CO., }
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, }
Pittsburgh, April 27th, 1867. }

PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION adopted at a meeting of the stockholders and Bondholders of this Company, held at Pittsburgh, March 20th inst., notice is hereby given that an adjourned meeting of the shareholders will be held at Pittsburgh, May 25, proximo, at 12 m., to consider such detailed estimates as may be submitted by the Board of Directors for additional equipment and permanent improvements to be made to the Railway, and also to determine upon the question of increasing the capital stock for the purpose of raising the necessary means for paying for such equipment and improvements.

JAMES S. CRAFT,
Chairman of Stockholders' Meeting.
Attest: W. CASS, President.

ELECTION NOTICE—THE Stockholders of the Birmingham Gas Company are hereby notified that the annual meeting for the election of Directors will be held on MONDAY AFTERNOON, May 6th, at the office of the Company, in Birmingham.

D. ROBINSON, Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICE.—THE annual election for President and Managers of the Monongahela Water Company will be held at the office of the First National Bank of Birmingham on TUESDAY, May 7th, 1867, between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock P. M.

EDWARD MOYE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE COAL MEN'S TRUST CO., }
PITTSBURGH, April 19, 1867. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscription books for the additional stock in the Coal Men's Trust Co., will be open on and after the 22d inst., at the office of the Association, No. 26 Market street.

W. J. PATTERSON, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Monongahela and Lancaster Bridge Company will be held at the TOLL HOUSE at said Bridge, on MONDAY, the 6th day of May next, between the hours of 12 o'clock, M., and 3 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing a President and a Board of Six Directors for the ensuing year.

J. C. LEWIS, President.
Sharpsburg, April 5, 1867.

OFFICE OF THE A. V. R. R. COMPANY, }
PITTSBURGH, January 1, 1867. }

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.—The Allegheny Valley Railroad Company hereby give notice that they will redeem the FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the Company within two years from this date, in accordance with the provisions of the mortgage given to secure the payment of the said bonds. By order of the Board of Managers.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS, President.

POLITICAL.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

COL. JAMES A. GRAY,

Of M'Clure Township, will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,

WILLIAM McCLEAN,

Of Pitt Township, formerly of North Fayette, will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.

JACOB H. WALTER,

Will be a candidate for the Office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.

D. C. HULTZ

Will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

MAJ. J. F. DENNISTON,

Late Brevet Major and C. S. U. S. Vols., will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

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The Daily Commercial

The Colorado.

We learn that a steamboat captain, navigating on the Rio Colorado from the Gulf of California up to Fort Yuma, has recently ascended the river on a tour of exploration beyond the rapids, which have hitherto been regarded as the limit of navigation. Passing these, he found a fine open stream for hundreds of miles, and ascended in his steamer to a point east of the meridian of Salt Lake City, and near the junction of Grand and Green rivers. He states that the Colorado is undoubtedly navigable to that junction, and possibly the Grand river may be ascended still farther. We hope to receive a more detailed account of his explorations shortly, but they are corroborated by the statements of other persons. If the facts are as stated, they will prove of incalculable importance in the future history of the country. The problem is to obtain transportation across the continent. By steamer or rail to St. Louis or Kansas City is easy. Thence the Union Pacific now pushing westward by the Smoky Hill route toward Denver, will probably seek the nearest water communication with the Pacific. If water communication can be obtained at a point not far south or west of Denver, the problem of transcontinental transportation will be solved by this company sooner by several years than it can be by any other route. Travel and goods, ascending the Colorado, can reach reach railroad connection with the Atlantic, and meanwhile the railroad will be pushed steadily forward toward the Pacific. —*St. Louis Democrat.*

Music Among the Chinese.

An intelligent correspondent of the New York *Evening Post* corrects some of the gross errors which have lately been put into circulation respecting the musical acquisitions of the Chinese. In refutation of the idea of the assertion that "the Chinese have no tunes, and no idea of music," he says that music has been a study among them, in very high esteem, for at least twenty-two hundred years, and that the Empire is full of tunes; not, to be sure, like ours, but nevertheless tunes, resembling more nearly the olden Scotch minstrelsy than ours. The common fife, without keys, gives the musical scale of the Chinese very nearly. Some of their instruments, however, have a compass, from E flat (first line and treble) to A flat in alto; and in point of fact, they have an exceedingly elaborate system of musical notation. They have, too, a great fondness for operatic performances, with the exception of the *ballet*, which their sense of decorum does not allow; and one of their fashionable entertainments is to provide operatic performances for guests, who are allowed to select from a list of operas such as they wish to have performed.

USE OF OPIUM IN THE UNITED STATES.—Attention has been repeatedly called of late to the monstrously increased consumption of opium in the United Statas. The *Galaxy* has an elaborate article on the use of opium, in which this increased consumption is particularly noted. In 1840, it seems, 24,000 pounds of opium sufficed us for a population of 17,600,000 souls. This, at $1 50 a pound, cost the country $30,000. In 1850 the importation of opium had increased to 87,000 pounds for a population of 23,000,000; which, at the average price of $2 50 a pound, cost us $243,600. In 1860 the importation reached 119,500, and the price went up to $4 50 a pound, and the total cost to the country, to $537,750; while our population advanced only to 31,500,000. Thus it appears that while our population has not doubled, our consumption of opium has increased nearly five-fold; that is, instead of 41,000 pounds of opium, which would have been the regular ratio for the increase of inhabitants, we imported three times that amount in 1860.

Now, this increased use of opium is not to be accounted for by any increased use of the drug as a medicine—though this has doubtless been very great, especially in the quack nostrums of the day; but must be attributed to the unwise application of opium eaters in the United States. And when we consider the direful consequences to body, mind and soul, of this use of opium as a stupefying and intoxicating luxury, we may well be alarmed by the evidence of its greatly increased use in the community.

INTEMPERANCE IN PARIS.—Hon. J. M. Usher writes as follows: Intemperence prevails here and is attended with the same evils as in other lands. During the present season there has been a great demand for labor, and workmen have had increased wages, and for a small amount of work. This has, in many cases, induced a great degree of imprudence and drunkenness, and unfitted them for service. Many times I have heard the Commissioner General express his regret that so much intemperance prevailed among the workmen. It certainly does prevail to an alarming extent, and is, in a great degree, the cause of the work on the Exposition building being so slowly carried forward. Intemperance always has, and always will stand in the way of duty and the improvements of life. Everybody drinks here, and therefore but little comparison can be made between the influence of total abstinence and the evil of drinking. In conversation with a gentleman of large experience and much intelligence, a few days since, I asked what proportion of the cost of living among the French people was for wine and liquors; to which inquiry he replied, "from one-fourth, to one-half, certainly one-third." I have no doubt that he was right. They live very cheaply, in very small quarters, and in my judgment, in a very poor way, compared with the people of America. They spend much for wine and little for education.

CURIOSITIES OF THE PARIS EXPOSITION—CHAVAT PINS.—Everyody has seen how bells are rung in all the new hotels in London, Paris and New York. Instead of pulling the bell and making it ring by an exertion of mechanical force, we press a small button in the wall; this is connected by an electric wire with a little alarm, the clapper of which keeps on jingling so long as the button is pressed. Lift the hand from the button and the alarm ceases. This principle a French jeweller has adapted to cravat pins. The knob of the pin is of various devices. It is a hare with a tabor, or a drummer with his drum, or a death's head with a loose under jaw, or a dog. Whoever chooses to wear such a pin has connected with it by a wire a small electrical battery in one of his pockets. He puts his hand into his pocket, touches a button there and off goes the pin. The hare begins to patter on the tabor, the drummer to beat on his drum, the death's head to chatter and roll his horrid eyes, or the dog to bark and snap. When the hand is lifted from the button instantly all is quiet.

If a man who records events be thereby specially qualified to anticipate them, and if a historian must be regarded as also a prophet, a recent speech of Sir Archibald Allison deserves attention. He says a "dreadful war is about to commence," and it will end "in the undisputed supremacy of one Power." He prorokingly stops here, and omits to name the unfortunate Power. The problem which puzzles everybody he permits to lie, in his own striking words, "buried in the womb of time." He believes England will ultimately be involved in the struggle; that "the Americans are only waiting for England's difficulty" to let their standard be seen in London." Allison has a respect for our Navy almost suggestive of alarm at its magnitude, and apprehends a Russian-American alliance.

A SUBSTITUTE FOR COTTON.—The New Orleans papers announce the discovery of a substitute for cotton, called *ramie*. It is a native of Java, but has within a few years been acclimated in the State of Vera Cruz, Mexico. The plant resembles hemp, containing within its stalk a long, cotton-like fibre, white, soft and fine. It is raised like sugar cane, from layers placed in lengths, or from its stubble. In a favorable climate and soil it is said to yield from three to five cuttings a year; and each succeeding year it grows better. Eight hundred pounds an acre, from each cutting, is said to be a fair crop.

THE PHILADELPHIA TRADES.—Sixty or seventy journeymen shoemakers belonging to one of the shops in Philadelphia, in which machinery is used, are now on a strike for an advance in wages. They demand an increase of from eight to ten per cent., which will make their wages the same as last fall, before the reduction took place in the shop in which they have been working. The journeymen plasterers are still on a strike, though a large number have obtained the advance demanded. A number of those who were among the original strikers have obtained work in other cities.

LEAD AND SILVER DISCOVERIES.—We were shown yesterday, says the Parkersburg *Times*, of Tuesday, a very rich specimen of lead ore by Mr. James C. Graham, from Pittsburgh, which he got in the Southwestern part of Virginia, on a line of Railroad. It has been analyzed in the United States Mint, at Philadelphia, and it assays 78½ per cent. lead, and 16 penny weight silver per ton of ore. Mr. Graham has secured the land on which it was discovered.

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Farewell Benefit of ANNIE WAITE. The best bill of the season.
FRIDAY EVENING, May 3d, the performance will commence with the great military drama entitled
RESCUE BROWN; OR THE RELIEF OF LUCKNOW.
Jessie Brown, with songs.....Miss Annie Waite.
Dance.....Miss Louisa Sylvester.
To conclude with the roaring farce of
EXTREMES; OR, THE STAGE-STRUCK BARBAR.
During the piece, two Duetts by Miss Annie Waite and Mr. W. H. Leak.
☞On Monday Evening, May 6th, the Opera House will be closed, in order to make the proper alterations, &c., in the stage, for the proper production of the great Dramatic Spectacle, the "Black Crook," to commence Tuesday evening.

VARIETIES THEATER.
PENN STREET, near St. Clair street.
TO-NIGHT, the exciting melo-drama, entitled
THE PIRATE'S LEGACY.
M'LLE. LAURENT, The Boquet of Beauty, and the Inimitable Comedy Corps in a magnificent Olio of Songs, Dances, Negrolons, &c., &c.
NO REDUCTION OF PRICES.
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IRRESISTABLE ATTRACTION.
MR. HENDERSON takes pleasure in announcing that the renowned Author and Actor,
Mr. Chas. H. Barras,
Will personally superintend the production of his own highly Successful, Original, Grand, Romantic, Magical and spectacular Drama, in 4 Acts and Tableaux, entitled the
BLACK CROOK,
The most Costly and Magnificent Dramatic Spectacle ever produced in America,
Now running at Niblo's Garden, New York, and elsewhere, to OVERFLOWING HOUSES, and creating a sensation unparalled in the history of dramatic triumphs, which will be presented for the first time in Pittsburgh, on
Tuesday Evening, May 7th,
And EVERY EVENING until further notice.
THE GRAND BALLET ACTION
Will introduce the Premier Danseurs Assolute,
SIGNORETTA JOVETTA,
M'LLE MARIE THERESE,
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At the last meeting of the Allegheny Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, Mr. Thomas J. Wilford was licensed to preach the Gospel.

At the same meeting of the Allegheny Presbytery, Rev. A. W. Boyd was allowed to return the call from Rich Hill Church, on account of continued ill health.

The Presbyterian Presbytery of Erie will meet at Franklin, Pennsylvania, on the first Tuesday (7th day) of May, at 7 o'clock P. M.

The Presbytery of Monongahela of the United Presbyterian Church, will meet in the First U. P. Church, Pittsburgh, Rev. W. J. Reid's, on Tuesday, the 7th day of May, at 10 o'clock A. M., to consider the second volume of the new version of Psalms, and to attend to other business.

The month of May is set apart by the Catholic Church to a special devotion towards the Mother of God.

On Sunday next, the Devotion of the Forty Hours in honor of the Most Holy Sacrament, will commence at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Pittsburgh; St. Joseph's Church, Sharpsburg; and at St. Michael's Church, Birmingham.

On Tuesday of last week, the pastoral relation between Rev. R. J. M. Smith and the Presbyterian church of Sharpsburg, was dissolved by the Presbytery of Allegheny City, and Mr. Smith has dismissed to connect with the Presbytery of St. Louis, having accepted a call from the Presbyterian church at St. Charles, Missouri.

The following persons have been appointed Commissioners to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church: Presbytery of Allegheny—Rev. E. Ogden; Elders, Hon. James Mitchell, Alexander Reed, James Coulter and John R. Harris. Presbytery of Redstone—Rev. D. Wylie Townsend, and D. J. Irwin; Elders, Isaac Rhea, and J. W. Phillips. Presbytery of Steubenville—Revs. A. M. Reid, and J. K. Andrews; Elders, John Vodrey, and Wm. Pinney. Presbytery of Washington—Revs. James I. Brownson, D. D., and Joseph S. Emerey; Elders, Montgomery Walker and George C. Orr. Presbytery of Ohio—Bethtown—Rev. Dr. Sheddon, Rev. Mr. Carter; Elders, Amos Potter, Jr., and Joseph Corey. Presbytery of Blairsville—Rev. A. Torrens; Elder, Wm. Stewart. Presbytery of West Virginia—Rev. John Branch; Elder, Josepa Nuzeur.

At the recent meeting of the Presbytery of Beaver, of the Presbyterian Church, a resolution was passed recommending to every pastor and pastoral charge to observe a day commemorative of the Centenary of Presbyterianism in the West, on which the whole people shall assemble to praise and give thanks to God for his past and present goodness, and for the continuance of His favor, and hear a sermon or address commemorative of that past history, and in regard to the present duties and future prospects of the church as a religious denomination. It is earnestly recommended that the funds thus collected or pledged, be devoted to the endowment of Washington and Jefferson College.

The following days were designated for the churches under the care of the Presbytery: First, Beaver [Old Brighton], second Sabbath of May; second, Darlington and Little Beaver, third Sabbath of May; third, New Salem, fourth Sabbath of May; fourth, North Sewickley, first Sabbath of June; fifth, Westfield, second Sabbath of June; sixth, New Castle and Shenango, third Sabbath of June; seventh, Slippery Rock and Newport, fourth Sabbath of June; eighth, Hopewell and Pulaski, fifth Sabbath of June; ninth, Mahoningtown, first Sabbath of July; tenth, Unity and Middletown, second Sabbath of July; eleventh, Sharon, third Sabbath in July; twelfth, Clarksville, fourth Sabbath of July.

At the last meeting of the Allegheny Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, In the last few years, all the necessaries of life have at least doubled in price, rendering it virtually impossible for the pastors of the various churches within the bounds of this Presbytery; therefore,

Resolved, That no pastor be settled and give his whole time for less than eight hundred to a thousand dollars and that all the pastoral charges now settled and paying less than the above sums be, and they are hereby earnestly requested to raise their pastors' salaries to the above standard.

Resolved, That the above resolution be read in all the churches of this Presbytery, and that the churches be requested to report their action on this subject at the next meeting of Presbytery.

At the one meeting of Allegheny Presbyterian Convention was appointed to visit Pittsburgh, on the third Tuesday of June, according to the suggestion of the Centenary Convention of the Synod, the object of which shall be to promote sectional of the churches, to stir up one another's pure mind by way of remembrance, and to devise liberal things for Zion, that church debts may be liquidated, that the salaries of pastors may be increased, when necessary, and that such measures of mutual education and interests may be promoted as the Convention shall think to be most important.

Last Sabbath, Rt. Rev. Bishop Domenec administered the sacrament of Confirmation to the members of St. John's Evangelist's Church, Birmingham. The number judged prepared for its reception was one hundred and thirty-seven, of whom several were adults and converts. The ceremony of the reception of the Sacrament, under the direction of the Sisters of Mercy, their teachers, was admirable.

The Catholic Church of the Annunciation, the corner-stone of which was laid last summer by Rt. Rev. Bishop Domenec, is nearly completed, and is pronounced to be one of the finest churches in the diocese. Its elegant spire will be a noble object to look upon and cheer to be heard for five miles around. It is a very lofty building, with beautifully arched ceilings and will seat about 1,200 persons. The altar is high altar there will be two side altars, and a gallery is to be put up for the use of the choir. The pews, which are numbered about two hundred numbers, is under the pastorate charge of the Very Rev. Patrick Ward. The church, when finished, will cost about fifteen thousand dollars.

A FIRST-CLASS INSTRUMENT.—In these days of extravagant prices it is positively gratifying to know that in the matter of that favorite parlor instrument, the piano, no honest need to pay more than first-class ones on account of price. No manufacture of pianos in this country excels for the price the Emerson, which is decidedly the best cheap piano offered to the public. The Emerson is a first-class instrument in every respect, remarkable for its rich, round, full and powerful tone and elasticity of touch. Valuable improvements have been made in this by the popular pianos, and to-day they are more sought after than any other manufactured in the country. A recent enlargement of his factory having been rendered necessary by the increasing demand. The old established house of C. Mellor, 81 Wood street, Pittsburgh, has had the sole agency for these unequalled cheap pianos for years, and during that period hundreds have found their way to the parlors of our citizens. We take pleasure in giving this assertion of these pianos now in his warerooms, and his arrangements with Mr. Emerson are such that he is enabled to supply all demands.

BODY IDENTIFIED—TWO CHILDREN SUPPOSED DROWNED.—The body of the woman which was found floating in the Ohio river, near Wellsville, on the 18th of April, has been identified as the wife of Mr. John Y. Kraus, who resides at No. 55 Main street, Fourth ward, Allegheny City. Mr. Kraus called at the office of Justice Sharpsburg, and also at Wellsville, and stated that on the 21st of January last his wife and two children left his house in Lawrenceville. After going to Pittsburgh, she left her child with a kind friend in Allegheny City, and, as many persons were crossing on the ice, he thinks she started with the two children, and may have walked into an open spot in the ice covered with snow, and the whole family drowned. He has heard nothing of his children since. The mother was twenty-five years of age at the time of her death.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING AFFAIR.—An accidental shooting affair occurred at the Five Mile House, occupied by Mr. Wing, on the Steubenville Pike, in Robinson township, on Monday afternoon last. It appears that a lady named Mrs. Cook, residing in Chartiers township, was visiting Mrs. Wing, and the two were examining a loaded revolver belonging to Mr. Wing. While Mrs. Wing was handling the weapon it exploded, the ball entering Mrs. Cook's breast, inflicting a very serious wound. The wounded lady is now lying at the residence of her husband in a dangerous condition. It is said that the shooting occurred is called the "Shadow of Death," three strikers. It is said, having been committed there during the past ten years.

ACCIDENT ON PAN HANDLE RAILROAD.—The express train No. 2, on the Pan Handle Railroad, which left this city at three o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, met with an accident near Collier's Station, eight miles east of Steubenville. One of the trucks of the express car was broken, and the car thrown from the track and pretty well smashed up. The front end of the baggage car was also considerably damaged. The brakeman had his shoulder on the platform, and left it just in time to escape being injured. The express car was transferred to the rear. No. 1 mail train due here at 9:35 o'clock yesterday morning, was detained two hours by the accident.

CHASE AFTER A BURGLAR.—About four o'clock yesterday morning, the residence of Dr. C. F. Dake, on Penn street, near Hand, was entered by a burglar who gained an entrance by the open window in the rear of the house. After ransacking the lower rooms he proceeded to the second story, and was about entering the sleeping apartment occupied by Dr. Dake, when the latter was awakened, and springing out of his bed attempted to seize the intruder. The burglar immediately fled, and made his exit by the rear door, closely followed by the Doctor. The thief was pursued as far as Hand street, when the Doctor was compelled to give up the chase.

WHO IS HE?—The Petroleum Center *Eat* says: An individual in Pittsburgh, proprietor of the Manhattan Building in this place, upon hearing of the great fire, immediately sent the following significant dispatch to his agent here:

"PITTSBURGH, April 24.

"Mr. ——: If my building is not burned, rent it, and advise me for price."

In reply, the righteous intelligence was sent that *this building was one of the first destroyed*. It will be necessary for the inhuman "cuss" to *shave up* a building before he can thus take advantage of any sufferer of the recent disaster—and further, if the creature comes here, we hope to see him promptly shoved out of town.

SAILED FOR EUROPE.—The following Pittsburghers sailed from New York yesterday on the steamer Bremen, for Europe: George Thorpe, Hoffman, Mrs. Anna C. Hoffman and three children, J. Grabing, A. Reineman and family, Miss T. Richenbach, A. Weil, Miss Weil, Mrs. Lehman, Mrs. Mumbell, C. Hoerr, John Zelling, Anton Framm and Charles Fiehner.

THE SPROUL MURDERERS.—John Bird and Thos. Whittaker, the parties arrested in this city about two weeks since on suspicion of being implicated in the Sproul murder, now confined in the Washington county jail, will have a hearing on Monday next before Judge Acheson.

BOY DROWNED.—A boy named Edward Butler, aged about seven years, fell from a raft, below the railroad bridge over the Allegheny river, on Wednesday evening, and was drowned. His body has not yet been recovered. The lad's parents reside on Fayette street.

FOUND DROWNED.—The body of an unknown man was found floating in the Allegheny river, near Tarentum, on Tuesday last. An inquest was held by Squire W. V. Kennedy, but no clue to the indentity of the body was ascertained.

LAND SLIDE.—A land slide occurred on the Allegheny Valley Railroad, near Tarentum, on Wednesday evening, detaining the train due here at 7:30 o'clock, three hours.

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE.—In the United States District Court yesterday, on motion of Thomas Allen, Esq., Thomas Carnahan, Esq., and R. Kiddoo was admitted to practice in the United States Courts.

Public Amusements.

BENEFIT OF ANNIE WAITE.—It has been a long time since we had, and it will, we imagine, be a long time before we shall have, so good an actress engaged at any theater in Pittsburgh as Annie Waite. Quiet, modest, unpretentious, never making unbecoming exhibitions of herself, never seeking unbecoming applause, never making inharmonious and hollow shows of assumption, never seeking through biased sources to manufacture a popularity not legitimately earned; she has passed through the season with very little advertising before the public, all the more has real merit been forthcoming, and that merit has resulted in building a reputation that players here will not readily forget, and that they will find a most solid and substantial for its being built on a sub stratum of genuine merit instead of the usual unprincipled and unauthorized puffing. Annie Waite is an actress by intuition. She instinctively takes in, at a glance as it were, the meaning and peculiar character of which others only succeed in comprehending through a long course of study. Her acting is easy, grace ful, unconstrained and effective without effort—in a word, it is natural. Nothing forced, nothing labored, yet always comely—not great, yet always beautiful, yet always pleasing—we have to rank her acting among the very few whom we can ever think of but with feelings of unalloyed satisfaction for the delight she has afforded us when amusing us, and with regret for the professional necessity which takes her from us henceforward. Let those who have learned to appreciate and therefore attribute upon the stage, and her many estimable qualities in private life, not forget that this evening she takes a benefit at the Academy of Music. The mere announcement of the fact ought to ensure a crowded and enthusiastic audience, but as her many friends and admirers, and the general public will be sure to reinforce these, when the announcement is made that the best of Boucicault's sensation dramas —"Dessie Brown"—is to be performed, followed by a variety of irresistible miscellaneous entertainment.

PITTSBURGH THEATER.—As will be seen by card elsewhere, the old Pittsburgh Theater will re-open to-morrow night, under the active management of W. C. Smythe, Esq., who is a thoroughly capable manager. The popular troupe of Charley White, the celebrated Ethiopian performer, from Broadway, New York, will appear on the opening night, and the programme for the occasion announces a splendid entertainment.

VARIETIES.—Manager Myers, as usual, presents as attractive bill this evening to the patrons of the Varieties. Mlle. Laurent is still the great attraction, although the ballet and the Jeffries are entitled to a fair share of admiration. Pleasing novelties are in preparation at this favorite place.

MASONIC HALL.—The popularity of the famous tableaux of The Apocalypse is already established in this city. If crowded houses will attest the fact. This is not to be wondered at, when we consider that these tableaux are really of an interesting and instructive character. They will be exhibited again this evening.

CIRCUS.—Thayer & Noyes' Circus exhibits at East Liberty to-day.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

[Before Alderman Donaldson.]

MALICIOUS MISCHIEF CASES.

An information for malicious mischief was lodged yesterday by Mrs. Pechter, against one Robert Ward, and two other men whose names are unknown. From the allegations made by Mrs Pechter, it appears that on Tuesday night the defendants came to her eating house and tavern on Ross street, in the First ward, Allegheny, and asked for drinks, which was refused them on account of their being quite intoxicated. They then commenced acting in a quarrelsome manner, when they were ejected by two gentlemen, at the instigation of Mrs. Pechter. The latter then closed the house, and in a few minutes afterwards the defendants came back, and commenced an assault on the house, breaking in the doors, smashing the windows, &c. They were arrested yesterday and held to bail for a hearing.

Daniel Gordon, a colored man, was arrested on an information for malicious mischief, preferred by C. H. Cochran, Captain of the propeller "Neville." Gordon had formerly been employed on the boat, but had been discharged a few days since. He came on the boat yesterday, went to the pantry, and without any provocation whatever, commenced smashing the dishes. A warrant was issued, the accused arrested, and committed to jail for his appearance on Monday next for a hearing.

GETTING ALE BY FALSE REPRESENTATIONS.—A. P. McWilliams, employed at the brewery of Messrs. Carson, Darlington & Co., on Duquesne Way, instituted legal proceedings against Taylor McFarland, a tavern keeper, for obtaining goods under false pretense. McWilliams, in his information, alleges that McFarland came to the brewery, and obtained from him three barrels of ale, of the value of twenty dollars, by representing that he owned the property on which his tavern is located, when in fact he would pay him for the ale in a few days. It was subsequently ascertained that he did not own the property, and upon the bill being presented to him he refused to pay it. The latter was arrested, and after a hearing, was held to bail for his appearance at Court to answer.

A HORSE TRANSACTION.

Mr. Wm. Schomaker, of the firm of Schomaker & Lang, appeared and lodged complaint against one Charles Abrenbrook, for larceny as bailee. The defendant keeps a pasture field near East Liberty, and Mr. Schomaker, it appears, placed a horse under his care last autumn. Shortly afterwards Abrenbrook came into the city, and asked Mr. Schomaker if he would sell the horse if he would get an opportunity. The latter replied in the negative. The defendant then sold the horse, but although frequently asked since that time to return the money to Mr. Schomaker, he has refused to do it, hence the suit. The accused had a hearing which resulted in his being held to bail for trial at Court.

[Before Mayor Morrison, of Allegheny.]

TAKEN TO THE HOUSE OF REFUGE.

Two boys named George Black and Wm. Redman, aged about five years each, were arrested yesterday by the Allegheny police, for being common vagrants. Black hails from Freeport, Armstrong county, and Redman from Green Bush, New York. They state that they are both orphans. They have been wandering about Allegheny for some days past, sleeping in barns, and at the instigation of some citizens they were arrested. A commitment to the House of Refuge was issued by Mayor Morrison, and they were taken to that institution yesterday by Chief of Police Long.

TEA! TEA!! TEA!!!—Best Japan Tea at $1 40 per pound, usually sold at $1 60, at the Red Front Grocery and Tea House, No. 69 Federal street, Allegheny City.

ONE HUNDRED BOXES of Scotch Clay Pipes, at Thompson's, 240 Liberty street.

The Ladies' Friend.

Send to your grocer, ask for Rosston's Yeast Powder. Try and you will say it richly deserves the name—"Ladies' Friend." Branch House, No. 355 Liberty street (up stairs), Pittsburgh.

IMPORTANT TO TEA DRINKERS.—Having purchased in the Eastern markets one of the largest and best selected variety, and finest cargoes of Teas ever offered in this city, purchasers will find it to their advantage to give us a call, as we have a great many varieties and at prices to suit the times. Satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded, at J. Kohen & Bro.'s Red Front Grocery and Tea House, No. 69 Federal street, Allegheny City.

DENTISTRY at 246 Penn street, Drs. Sill & Gillespie.

GODFREY & CLARK manufacture the best paper sacks in the United States for putting up flour, corn meal, &c. Call and see them. Warehouse, No. 357 Liberty street.

HANDSOME and cheap artificial flowers at Abel & Co's., 54 St. Clair street.

TARPAULINS, tents, wagon covers, awnings, &c., made of heavy duck, just as good as new, will be sold at about one-third the original cost. Inquire of Robert Smith, Weddell corner Smithfield and Water streets.

NEW TEAS, SUGARS, &c.—Messrs. Wilson & Underwood, No. 69 Diamond, Allegheny, are now retailing, at very low prices, one of the best stocks of teas and sugars, and fine groceries generally, that can be found in this region. We hope our readers will not fail to call upon this firm without examining their stock. One trial will prove the superior merits of their teas, which cannot be equalled for the price by any other dealers. These teas are selling at other houses at 50 cents per pound more than Messrs. Wilson & Underwood are charging. Give them an early call.

DR. C. B. KING, Superintendent of the Soldiers' Home Hospital, returns in behalf of the officers and inmates of that institution, to thank the ladies and gentlemen connected with the Haymaker's Concert for their donation of a cabinet organ, purchased with part of the proceeds of their entertainment recently given in this city. He also desires to acknowledge the liberality of Mr. Mellor in furnishing the instrument at less than the ordinary price.

THE HUMAN EAR.—With regard to the ear, a prejudice has obtained that the ear is too delicate an organ to be treated or as often expressed, *tampered with*, hence hundreds have thus remained deaf for the greater part of a lifetime, who might have been greatly relieved, and in many instances, completely restored to their hearing, had proper assistance been timely applied for, as may readily be seen by a perusal of the following certificate. We also take occasion to remark that the testimonial comes from a source close at hand, in Allegheny city, where, upon inquiry, any one interested can satisfy themselves of its truth.

PITTSBURGH, July 28, 1864.

HASTINGS, Dakota Co., Minn., Aug. 1866.

MESSRS. HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa.:

Gentlemen—Have sold your Bitters ever since they were brought out, and consider them the best among the many before the public. Those brought out since the tax has been imposed on spirits are trash. I never recommend them.

Respectfully and truly yours,

R. J. MARVIN.

COLON, St. Joseph Co., Mich., July 21, 1866.

MESSRS. HOSTETTER & SMITH:

Gentlemen—I consider your Bitters a sovereign balm for a thousand ails.

Yours, truly, D. C. REYNOLDS, M. D.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

J. Megraw, 1 box tobacco; Lippincott & Hacker, 2 bdls shawls; J. E. Dilworth, 3 cases muslins; White, Bro & Co., 3 floor cutters, a revolving rakes; Excelsior Coffin Manufacturing Co., 2 cases coffins; Hay & Co., 13 billets iron; Shoenberger & Blair, 9 cars iron ore; Wm. Bingham, 2 cars coal; Graff & Bennett, 1 bdl flannel; Samuel Dyer, 2 barrels oatmeal; Totten & Co., 8 barrels bolts; Wm. Vieux & Son, 1 case, 1 keg and 1 bdl carpet yarn; Wm. Vieux & Son, 1 keg, 1 bdl and 1 drum; 12 sacks rice, 2 sacks barley; E. Hoznieton, 1 barrel eggs, 1 do butter; Hubbard & Co., 1 barrel and 1 box candles; 12 chairs; 12 bundles stools; Campell & Brown, 1 car lumber; Wm. Bingham, 1 car coal; Scott & Lamberton, 1 car coal; T. C. Jenkins, 10 barrels apples, 2 sacks flaxseed, 1 box cheese, 2 barrels eggs, 1 barrel butter; Wm. Bingham, 23 sacks corn, 2 sacks rye; Henry Rea, Jr., 6 boxes scales; J. S. Newmyer & Co., 2 kegs butter, 1 case langler, 4 cases clothes; H. Riddle, 1 barrel cider; 5 sacks feed; Son & Co., 12 pkgs eggs, 1 do butter, 1 barrel do; Graff & Reiter, 18 boxes cheese, 2 barrels eggs, 175 sacks oats; Knox & Orr, 29 barrels cheese; W. & J. Packer, 1 barrel cheese; Hahn & Hadly, 2 caddies tobacco; W. H. Kirkpatrick & Co., 2 barrels eggs; W. & J. Packer, 5 barrels eggs; Smith, Johnson & Colvin, 3 half chests tea; Reynolds & Bros., 8 cases pickles.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—R. P. Getty, 16 barrels pickles; J. Craig, 20 barrels flour; Beggs & Lindsey, 47 skins mantilla; Hall, of banks, 3 packages; Loomis & Lumber, 30 bundles shingles; J. D. Laying, 3 cars coal; Leibstor Goff & Iron, 1 car lumber; Stewart & Langenheim, 1 car oats.

Pitts. Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad.

Kell & Richart, 100 barrels flour; D. Jenkins, 50 barrels flour, 7 barrels apples; Burtis Butler, Culp & Shepard, 100 barrels flour; J. Gardiner & Co., 100 bbls flour; Seegner & Vandergrift, 100 barrels flour; Hussey, Sellers & Co., 25 barrels high wines; W. B. Hays & Son, 50 packages; Mc. Clelland & Co., 1 car coal; Hall, Rowley & Cummins, 185 pcs stoneware; Graff & Reiter, 1 half barrel butter; Hall, Rowley & Cummins, 2 Stecoll, 1 barrel plush dryer; E. H. Voigt & Co., 2 barrels butter; Mitchell, S. & Co., 2 barrels eggs, 2 pieces carriages; T. & S. B. McMillen, 1 barrel eggs, 1 keg eggs butter; J. Caskey, 2 barrels dried apples; W. J. Reed & Bro., 2 barrels apples; A. & A. Mead, 18 sacks potatoes Wm. H. Kirkpatrick & Co., 10 boxes cheese; J. P. Cantield & Son, 10 boxes butter, 1 box cheese; Hussey, Sellers & Co., 4 sacks lanterns, 1 barrel do; J. R. Fisher, 2 boxes hardware; F. Schillinger, 200 bundles paper; Wm. Vieux & Son, 1 package collars; J. Kirkpatrick, Bro & Co., 3 barrels eggs; R. A. Fahnestock, Son & Co., 24 return packages; Hussey, Sellers & Co., 1 bale; Raiya & Robinson, 2 cars headings; J. Johnson, 4 packages scrap iron; J. Jones, 1 car lime; Riggs, A. Schunk, 93 bundles hoops; M. Murtland, 2 bbls tobacco; M. Hyde, 4 bbls tobacco.

Allegheny Valley Railroad.—Smith, 1 box trees; Robert Boggs, 1 lot household goods; John Fletcher, 1 lot household goods; Wm. Bingham, 1 car coal; P. Kerkendoffer, 4 barrels cider; John Herbert, 2 barrels green apples; Wm. Bingham, 1 car coal; Hall, Rowley & Cummins, 2 wagon wheels; R. Lanner, 2 cases handles; Altwater & Son, 2 cars stave; M. Kennedy, 1 keg; J. Craig, 1 car coal; Wm. Bingham, 1 car coal; Wm. Bingham, R. T. Kennedy & Bro., 75 sacks corn, 1 lot wheat in sack; Superior Iron Company, 4 cars iron; Universal; Owens & Kennedy, 98 barrels flour.

Pitts. Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad.

M. McCuing, 1 car lumber; Thos. Bissell, 1 car hay; B. Smith, 1 car lumber; Wm. Crawford, 77 oil barrels; D. Kyle, 5 barrels eggs; J. B. Meanor, 1 box bacon, 2 barrels eggs; Hall Rigsby & Speer, 10 oil metal; T. C. Jenkins, 4 barrels eggs, 2 barrels apples; Adair, Miller & Frazer, 23 barrels apples, 25 sacks flax seed; Graff & Reiter, 7 half barrels lard, 20 barrels apples, 2 boxes butter; P. H. Laufman, 5 boxes cheese; J. Hudson, 1 keg lard; Hay & Co., 8 packages tobacco; C. West, 9 bundles carriage gearing; Gwin & Bros., 3 bundles bridle leather; J. Gleim, 1 car coal; J. Gardiner & Co., 10 barrels flour; Buffum, Kelsow & Co., 39 barrels apples; Wm. Bingham, 1 car coal; Hall, Rowley & Cummins, 2 cars stock & Co., 2 crates kegs; P. J. Schmidt, 8 bbls tobacco.

Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.

S M Kier & Co, 1 car fire clay; Nimick & Co, 1 car pig iron; John Hoffman, 10 calves; W. J. Meek, 9 sacks feed; J. Hessel, 2 barrels eggs; Graff & Reiter, 1 barrel butter, 12 sacks rags; J. Miller, 2 barrels eggs, 1 barrel butter; J. J. Best, 1 barrel eggs; Hall, Rigsby & Speer, 10 oil metal; Alexander & Lang, 7 barrels flour; Adams & Austin, 53 sacks oats; D. Wallace, 9 sacks rye; Gwin & Wells, 2 barrels carriage gearing; Son & Co., 8 packages produce; Monongahela House, 4 packages marketing; Hall, Rowley & Cummins, 2 packages sundries; Various Owners, 3 cars marketing.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.

W F Armstrong, 252 bundles sheet iron; S S Marvin & Co., 4 cases notions; Marshall, Dalton & Bollman, 41 coils rope, 5 packages twine, 2 sks rags; Wm Vieux & Son, 1 package; Wm. Vieux, Jr., 1 carpet sand; C P Markle & Co, 49 bundles Connellsville printing paper.

MARRIED:

BROOKS—TOWER—On Tuesday evening April 30th, 1867, by Rev. S. J. Wilson, D. D., Miss ROSA TOWER, daughter of Mr. Jonathan Tower, to A. F. BROOKS, Esq., both of Pittsburgh, Pa.

DAVIS—ERWIN—On Thursday evening, May 2d, at the bride's residence, by Rev. J. McMillan, Mr. P. DAVIS, to Miss MARY ERWIN, both of Allegheny city, Pa. No cards.

DIED:

DAIN—On Thursday morning, May 2d, at 7 o'clock, Mr. JAMES DAIN, aged 72 years, in the 6 4d year of his age.

The funeral will take place THIS AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 493 Penn street, to proceed to Allegheny Cemetery. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HANEY—On Wednesday evening, May 1st, 1867, Mrs. SARAH HANEY, in the 65th year of her age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her son, Lewis Haney, in the borough of McKeesport, on FRIDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to at end.

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ARE THE BEST.

Call and see them in operation at SUMNER & CO'S 27 Fifth street.

Caution to the Ladies!

To trifle with personal affection is anything but manly. To deceive is no part of a gentleman. Honest, open, undisguised truthfulness is to be preferred. When we see a man trying to pass himself off for what he is not, we sigh over the weakness of human nature. We don't like a deceiver, nor do we like to see people deceived. Now at this very time there are not a few who call themselves gentlemen, dress well, move in the first society, are men of wealth, refinement, intelligence, and perhaps really amiable, possessing many desirable qualities,—yet are known to be passing themselves off among the fair sex for ten, twenty and thirty years less of life than they really have seen! Having used *Tebbett's Physiological Hair Regenerator*, their former gray locks have turned to a raven hue, giving them such a youthful appearance as to elude all scrutiny, as they bound into young and gay circles, jubilant with hope of securing some fair partner for coming life! Beware of these old bachelors! But should you desire the most charming, beautiful head of hair that ever adorned female beauty, by all means use TEBBETT'S PHYSIOLOGICAL HAIR REGENERATOR.

1.—This is the only preparation that will not soil the skin or finest apparel, and which is free from all obnoxious sediment, odor, and dirty, sticky, injurious compounds.

2.—It never fails to *Restore White* or *Gray Hair* to all its original color, beauty and desirableness.

3.—The most beautiful growth of new hair is often reproduced on bald heads, by its miraculous influence.

4.—Nor does it fail to eradicate all dandruff, humor, itching and neuralgia of the scalp, leaving it it clean and delightful.

5.—Should the hair commence to fall off, it immediately arrests it, while it increases the growth, and also the quantity.

6.—As a dressing it is a perfect luxury. The richness of its perfume is charming. The most wiry, stubborn and faded hair is readily controlled by its magic influence.

7.—It is often the case that this preparation, after one has been using other tonics, will cause the dandruff and sediment secreted by them to rise, which must be removed until the scalp becomes clean, when the Regenerator's charming influence will be seen with manifest delight. Every bottle is warranted.

Sold by the gross, dozen or single bottle, by Dr. KEYSER, General Agent, No. 140 Wood street. d*

Rosston's Recipes.

PIE CRUST.—In using Rosston's Yeast Powder for pie crust, half the usual quantity of shortening is used.

Rosston's Recipes.

Milk Bread—Three teaspoonsful of Rosston's Powder to one quart of wheat meal, sifted together; add one gill of molasses and two eggs; make the paste thin with milk, and bake in a slow oven.

ONE THOUSAND GROSS MATCHES, block and box, cheap at J. D. Thompson's.

COTTON, SEINE, TWINE FISHING LINES, Fishing Poles, at Thompson's, 240 Liberty street.

FINE GROCERIES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION at Wilson & Underwood's, No. 15 Diamond, Allegheny.

THE FASHIONABLE TAILORING, and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods Emporium, is at R. Mitchell's No. 91 Federal street, Allegheny.

Rosston's Recipes.

BROWN BREAD.—Three teaspoonsful of Rosston's powder to one pint of flour and one pint of corn meal, all well sifted together; and two eggs and about one gill of molasses; make the paste thin with milk; bake slowly.

TRY OUR BLACK TEA, which we are now selling at only One Dollar per pound, at the Red Front Grocery, Tea, and Provision House, No. 69 Federal street, Allegheny, J. Kohen & Bro.

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We use such Balms as have no strife
With law or custom of this life;
With blood our hand we never stain,
Nor poison any with our drugs.

Our Father, whom all goodness fills,
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PITTSBURGH, July 28, 1864.

DEAR SIR:—I take pleasure in adding my testimony to that of others in favor of Dr. Keyser's treatment of deafness. My case had been afflicted for five years with deafness, produced from scarlet fever. At times he could not hear at all; and could only understand as we would motion to him. His speech had also become affected. Having tried other remedies without receiving any benefit, I applied to Mr. Keyser, and under his treatment he has entirely recovered, and can now hear as well as ever he did. JOHN B. GARRETT,

No. 177 Beaver street, Allegheny.

To Dr. Keyser, No. 120 Penn street.

THE WONDER OF THE AGE.—Many startling propositions of various kinds have from time to time attracted the public notice. Especially is this true in regard to the medicinal world. Poor human nature, ever the victim of disease and suffering, grasps at everything which will afford it relief. Knowing this patent fact, unprincipled men have taken advantage of that peculiar instinct of our nature which is so credulous of happiness, and fairly forced upon the people the most worthless compounds, under high sounding titles, and recommended for the sake of making money at the expense of human misery. Our late esteemed fellow-citizen, the well-known Dr. Holmes, of Allegheny City, was the original inventor of Holmes's Magic Plaster, which everybody in this section has tried so often, and enjoyed the most beneficial results from its use. We would not recommend this plaster to our readers, and the public generally, were it not that we are able to speak of its high merits, aside from the fact that a long acquaintance with the late Dr. Holmes afforded us an opportunity to know something very definite about his celebrated medicines. For pains in the back and side; for all descriptions of burns, bruises, sprains, cuts, etc., there is no more meritorious and certain cure now within the reach of the millions. It is designed for this purpose and it will not cure anything else. The home testimony in its favor, which we offer, is backed by certificates from several hundred people in Allegheny county, who knew Dr. Holmes personally, as well as by reputation, and tried the virtues of his Magic Plaster, to find its benefits absolutely incalculable. The universal demand for it now being made is sufficient proof that our own opinion of it has been correct, and we are glad to know that a really valuable medical preparation of this character is so rapidly and widely taking the place of the trashy mixtures and compounds that are crowded into the market. The only sale and wholesale depot for this Magic Plaster are Messrs. McClarren & McKennan; corner of Market street and the Diamond, near Fifth street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WE advise the amateurs of music in our city to remember that the concert of Prof. Tetedoux's pupils is to take place on Thursday, 9th inst. at Lyceum. Besides numerous pieces, solo's of various characters, several concerted pieces, among which the quartette of Rigolette, the best dramatic work of Verdi, and the celebrated Tickling Trio and Polka, in which Mr. Tetedoux will, in the concert of "Ye Old Folks," such a side-splitting success of laughter, will take a prominent part.

IRON CITY BASE BALL EMPORIUM.—Hogle & Chambers, No. 74 Fifth street, Hogle & Chambers, have just received a large stock of base ball caps, shoes, belts, spikes, &c., &c.

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Rosston's Recipes.

LOAF BREAD.—Three teaspoonsful of Rosston's Powder to one pint of flour and one pint of corn meal, all sifted together; add two eggs and about a gill of molasses; make the paste thin with milk, and bake slowly.

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HOT ROLLS.—Three teaspoonsful of Rosston's Powder to one quart of flour mix thoroughly, by passing two or three times through a selve, rub in a piece of butter half the size of an egg, and make the paste with cold milk or water, (milk is preferable), barely stiff enough to permit rolling out. Much kneading should be avoided. Cut into desired form and place immediately in a hot oven and bake quickly.

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